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TO THE

# STATISTICAL REGISTER

OF THE COLONY OF

NEW SOUTH WALES,

FOR THE YEAR 1885.

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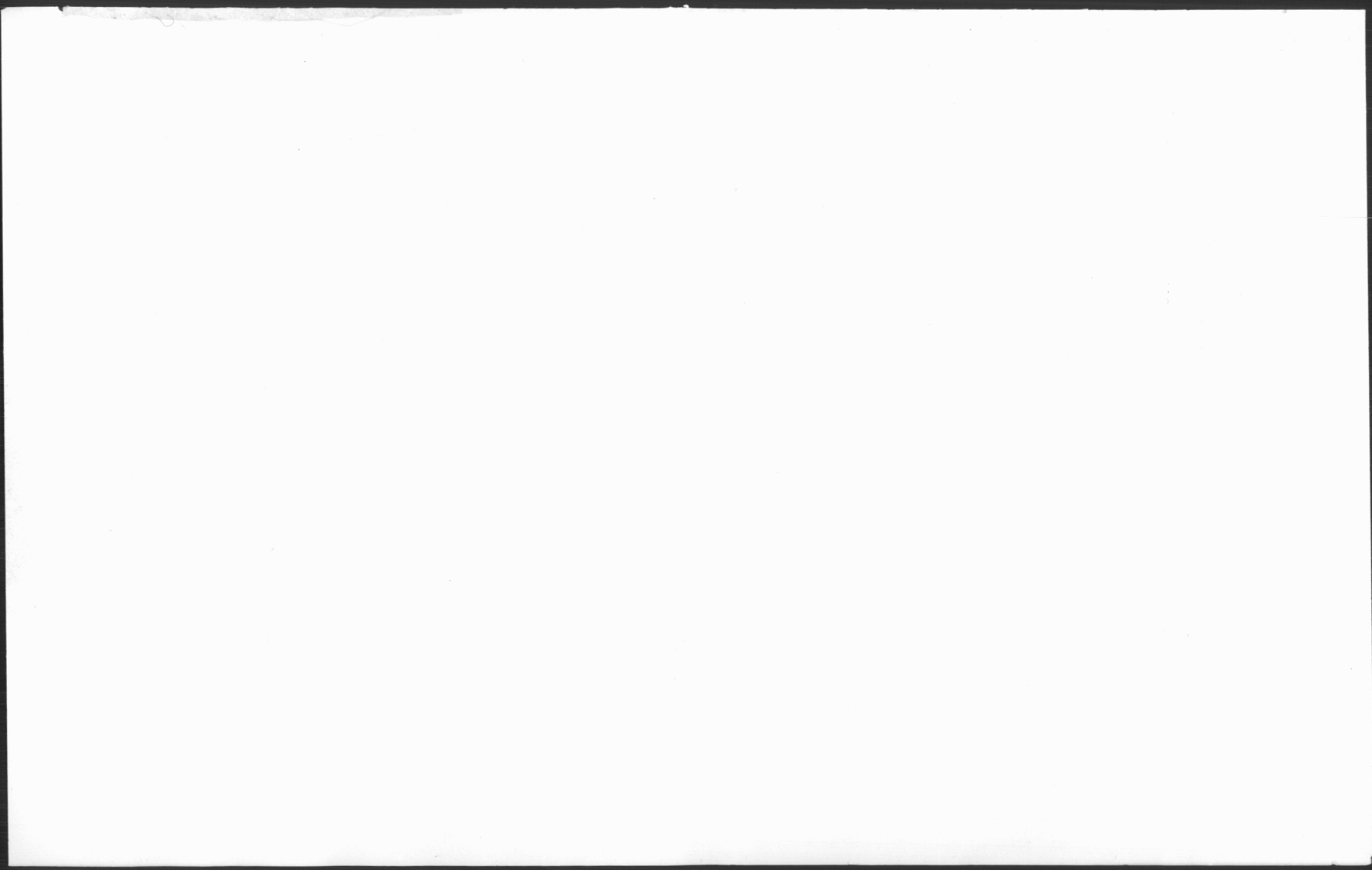
THE greater part of the materials used in the compilation of the accompanying tables were obtained under the supervision of the Registrar-General, and appear in the "Statistical Register for 1885." Year by year the Register has steadily increased in bulk, and the 370 pages, which it now contains, comprise a mass of figures sufficiently formidable to make reference both tedious and unsatisfactory. It was therefore considered expedient to prepare an abridgment suitable for general use, hence the appearance of the present volume.

It is obvious that neither the Register nor the Handbook is intended to cover the whole ground of Statistical inquiry; but the information which it has been possible to obtain will be found, within its own limits, fairly exact. Numerous tables appear in the Handbook which are not in the Register. These have been added with a view of making the whole more connected and intelligible.

The period of the year became so far advanced before it was found possible to collate and issue these statistics, that it was felt public convenience would be better consulted by immediate publication, instead of still further retarding their appearance for the purpose of illustrating the tables with elaborate comments and deductions, especially in view of the early date at which the figures for 1886 may be expected to be ready. It is believed the Handbook will be found self-explanatory; and a copious Index has been added for ease in reference.

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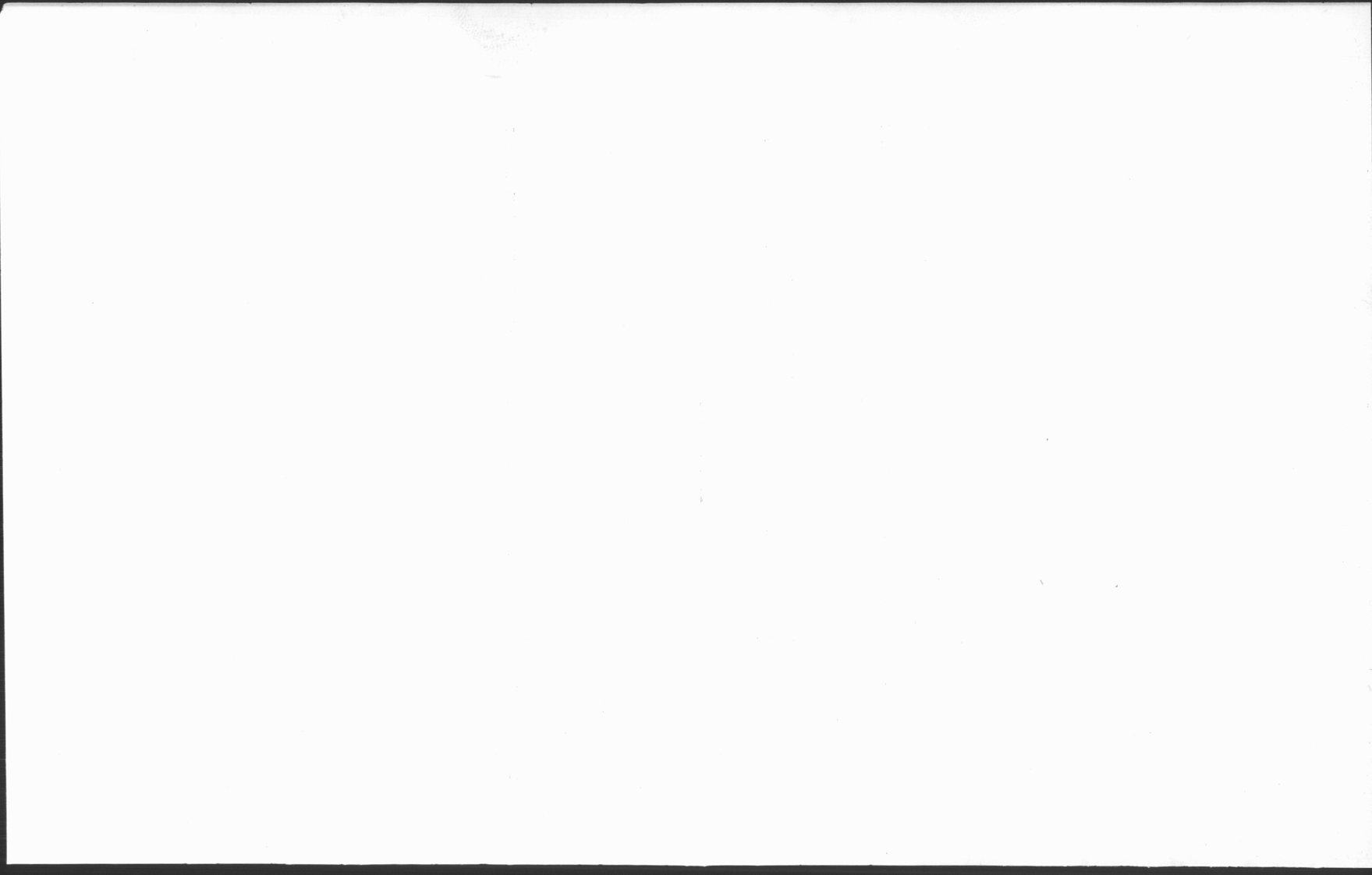
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# POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

No. 1.—Estimated Population of the Colony, on the 31st December in each year, from 1861 to 1885.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1861	201,574	156,404	357,978
1862	204,199	162,522	366,721
1863	207,560	170,152	377,712
1864	213,365	177,499	390,864
1865	223,254	185,893	409,147
1866	235,116	193,697	428,813
1867	243,131	201,578	444,709
1868	254,003	209,185	463,188
1869	263,899	217,549	481,448
1870	272,543	226,116	498,659
1871	282,846	234,912	517,758
1872	292,015	243,204	535,219
1873	301,399	252,434	553,833
1874	312,843	262,100	574,943
1875	323,080	271,217	594,297
1876	333,515	280,666	614,181
1877	350,329	293,378	643,707
1878	365,625	306,263	671,888
1879	386,926	322,533	709,459
1880	405,277	336,616	741,893
1881	426,944	351,746	778,690
1882	443,314	367,519	810,833
1883	470,009	387,735	857,744
1884	495,581	408,377	903,958
1885	527,533	430,381	957,914

The unrecorded arrivals and departures are allowed for in this estimate—hence the difference between it and the estimates of population formerly published.

No. 2.—Estimated Population of the Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, for the period 1871–85.

Year.	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	City and Suburbs.	Country Districts.
1871	517,758	77,680	63,941	140,621	377,137
1872	535,219	79,455	66,310	145,765	389,458
1873	553,833	81,442	69,964	151,406	402,427
1874	574,943	83,631	74,547	158,178	416,765
1875	594,297	85,267	78,808	164,075	430,222
1876	614,181	87,261	83,253	170,514	443,667
1877	643,707	91,008	91,317	182,325	461,382
1878	671,888	94,228	98,718	192,946	478,942
1879	709,459	98,824	109,448	208,272	501,187
1880	741,893	102,161	118,010	220,171	521,722
1881	778,690	106,578	128,714	235,292	543,398
1882	810,833	110,112	138,119	248,231	562,602
1883	857,744	115,847	152,950	268,797	588,947
1884	903,948	121,441	167,760	289,201	614,747
1885	957,914	127,859	185,793	313,652	644,262

## No. 3.—Marriages Registered in the Colony, 1876–85.

Denomination.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Church of England .....	1,759	1,869	2,098	2,182	2,252	2,487	2,768	2,949	2,893	2,990
Roman Catholic .....	921	990	1,009	982	1,021	1,171	1,315	1,414	1,448	1,258
Presbyterian .....	761	854	821	722	768	872	955	950	1,009	1,155
Wesleyan Methodist .....	487	509	556	605	618	651	704	712	759	739
Primitive Methodist .....	101	110	94	111	101	146	134	157	105	193
Congregationalist .....	232	243	291	331	364	433	516	565	484	532
Baptist .....	39	70	89	90	93	85	79	101	117	137
Hebrew .....	14	20	20	22	17	27	22	24	27	27
German Evangelical .....	19	20	11	13	9	13	14	10	18	26
Christians .....	4	3	11	7	9	3	5	1	5	2
Independent .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5	31
Other Denominations .....	18	3	8	4	2	4	2	24	15	18
Registrars' Offices .....	275	303	309	322	318	392	434	486	537	510
Total .....	4,630	4,994	5,317	5,391	5,572	6,284	6,948	7,405	7,482	7,618

## No. 4.—Marriages, Compared with Total Population.

Year.	Marriages.	Per Thousand of Total Population.	Year.	Marriages.	Per Thousand of Total Population.
1876	4,630	7.54	1882	6,948	8.57
1877	4,994	7.76	1883	7,405	8.63
1878	5,317	7.91	1884	7,482	8.28
1879	5,391	7.60	1885	7,618	7.95
1880	5,572	7.51	Mean for 10 years	.....	8.02
1881	6,284	8.07			

## No. 5.—Proportion of Marriages performed by Clergy of various Denominations, to Total Marriages, in the year 1885; also, Percentage of Adherents to each Denomination at the Census of 1881.

Denomination.	Marriages.	Percentage of Total Marriages.	Percentage of Adherents to Total Population—Census 1882.
Church of England .....	2,990	39.24	45.50
Roman Catholic .....	1,258	16.51	27.63
Presbyterian .....	1,155	15.17	9.66
Methodist .....	932	12.23	8.58
Congregational .....	532	6.98	1.91
Baptist .....	137	1.80	0.98
Other Denomination, or unspecified .....	77	1.01	5.30
Hebrew .....	27	0.36	0.44
Registrars' Offices .....	510	6.70	.....
	7,618		

No. 6.—Mean Marriage-rate of the Australasian Colonies.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	7'54	6'21	8'49	7'57	7'07	7'13	8'25
1877	7'76	6'31	8'66	7'57	6'38	7'79	7'63
1878	7'91	6'20	9'47	6'98	6'50	7'96	8'03
1879	7'60	5'98	9'81	7'49	7'57	7'23	7'60
1880	7'51	6'22	8'69	6'97	7'42	7'38	6'71
1881	8'07	6'79	8'33	7'71	6'60	7'30	6'65
1882	8'57	7'08	8'73	8'56	7'07	8'03	7'07
1883	8'63	7'38	8'49	8'93	6'95	9'01	6'82
1884	8'28	7'63	8'28	8'91	7'11	7'81	6'88
1885	7'95	7'58	7'65	8'92	7'80	7'97	6'74
Mean for 10 years	8'02	6'73	8'66	7'96	7'04	7'76	7'23

No. 7.—Births and Deaths Registered during the year 1885.

Quarter ending.	Births.			Deaths		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
31 March.....	4,188	3,990	8,178	2,281	1,643	3,924
30 June .....	4,406	4,102	8,508	2,144	1,606	3,750
30 September .....	4,938	4,718	9,656	2,155	1,431	3,586
31 December .....	4,407	4,294	8,701	2,320	1,702	4,022
Total .....	17,939	17,104	35,043	8,900	6,382	15,282

No. 8.—Total Births and Birth-rate, 1876-85.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Birth-rate per Thousand of Mean Population.
1876	11,791	11,507	23,298	38'55
1877	12,292	11,559	23,851	37'92
1878	13,082	12,246	25,328	38'50
1879	13,840	13,093	26,933	38'99
1880	14,424	13,738	28,162	38'80
1881	14,891	14,102	28,993	38'13
1882	15,087	14,615	29,702	37'37
1883	16,014	15,267	31,281	37'49
1884	17,417	16,529	33,946	38'53
1885	17,939	17,104	35,043	37'64
Mean Birth-rate for 15 years .....				38'39

**No. 9.—Yearly Birth-rate of the whole Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, for the period 1871-85.**

Year.	Births per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	39'63	38'91	42'62	39'29
1872	38'46	36'63	37'69	38'96
1873	37'99	38'09	40'55	39'44
1874	39'29	37'81	38'57	39'72
1875	38'53	37'44	37'92	38'86
1876	38'55	38'37	37'73	38'74
1877	37'92	38'13	37'18	38'02
1878	38'50	37'61	38'66	38'64
1879	38'99	38'47	39'84	38'91
1880	38'80	37'16	40'61	38'72
1881	38'13	35'84	41'91	37'70
1882	37'37	34'64	44'04	36'29
1883	37'49	33'24	44'89	36'45
1884	38'53	34'80	48'28	36'67
1885	37'64	31'17	47'40	36'18
Mean ...	38'39	36'55	41'19	38'17

**No. 10.—Mean Birth-rate of the Australasian Colonies.**

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	38'55	33'61	37'71	37'48	33'98	30'11	41'73
1877	37'92	32'17	37'36	36'75	33'07	30'21	41'28
1878	38'50	32'36	38'23	35'77	31'11	32'27	42'14
1879	38'99	32'18	38'96	36'74	34'38	32'05	40'32
1880	38'80	30'75	38'94	36'92	32'35	32'91	40'78
1881	38'13	31'24	38'66	37'19	33'67	33'40	37'95
1882	37'37	31'04	37'40	35'85	35'84	33'50	37'72
1883	37'49	30'02	37'37	36'92	33'87	34'25	36'28
1884	38'53	30'49	38'38	35'75	33'84	35'66	35'91
1885	37'64	30'74	37'70	36'65	35'21	35'08	34'85
Mean for 10 } years ..... }	38'18	31'46	38'07	36'60	33'73	32'94	38'89

**No. 11.—Total Deaths and Death-rate, 1876-85.**

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Death-rate per Thousand of Mean Population.
1876	6,508	4,685	11,193	18'52
1877	5,877	3,992	9,869	15'69
1878	6,284	4,479	10,763	16'36
1879	6,082	4,118	10,200	14'76
1880	6,638	4,593	11,231	15'47
1881	6,753	4,783	11,536	15'17
1882	7,596	5,220	12,816	16'12
1883	7,116	5,133	12,249	14'68
1884	8,325	5,895	14,220	16'14
1885	8,900	6,382	15,282	16'41
Mean Death-rate for 15 years .....				15'59

No. 12.—Yearly Death-rate of the whole Colony, City and Suburbs of Sydney, and Country Districts, for the period 1871–85.

Year.	Deaths per Thousand of the Population.			
	Colony.	City of Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1871	12'60	20'67	14'46	10'63
1872	14'18	23'03	14'15	12'37
1873	13'97	22'37	14'63	12'15
1874	15'32	25'16	16'59	13'12
1875	18'42	31'65	21'47	15'23
1876	18'52	28'87	20'79	16'05
1877	15'69	22'43	15'13	14'47
1878	16'36	25'05	17'37	14'44
1879	14'76	23'47	15'83	12'82
1880	15'47	27'26	19'16	12'32
1881	15'17	21'50	17'07	13'48
1882	16'12	23'30	18'71	14'09
1883	14'68	19'76	18'65	12'68
1884	16'14	21'36	21'14	13'78
1885	16'41	21'14	21'81	13'96
Mean ...	15'59	23'80	17'80	13'44

No. 13.—Yearly Death-rate of Children under 5 years, and of Persons over that age, in the City and Suburbs of Sydney, for the period 1871–85.

Year.	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.	
	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.	Under 5 years.	Over 5 years.
1871	65'35	12'88	47'57	7'79
1872	69'26	14'89	46'95	7'64
1873	59'91	15'79	46'02	8'53
1874	76'51	16'30	59'18	8'65
1875	105'64	19'43	80'35	11'23
1876	86'58	19'70	80'71	11'02
1877	67'42	15'38	61'56	7'91
1878	82'08	16'20	73'91	8'85
1879	69'34	16'35	67'13	8'22
1880	96'30	16'61	86'99	9'12
1881	59'37	15'42	71'00	8'94
1882	70'27	16'28	74'93	9'90
1883	65'32	13'11	73'48	10'02
1884	71'49	14'26	82'22	11'25
1885	69'82	14'51	81'50	11'68

Death-rate of City and Suburbs, in quinquennial periods, 1871–85.

Year.	Under 5 years.		Over 5 years.	
	City.	Suburbs.	City.	Suburbs.
1871–85	74'31	68'90	15'80	9'38
1871–75	75'33	56'01	15'85	8'70
1876–80	80'34	74'06	16'84	9'02
1881–85	67'25	76'63	14'71	10'35

## No. 14.—Mean Death-rate of the Australian Colonies.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
1876	18'52	17'02	16'28	18'82	14'18	16'54	12'66
1877	15'69	15'80	13'99	17'29	15'70	19'17	11'47
1878	16'36	15'46	15'44	20'41	14'07	15'66	11'01
1879	14'76	14'53	14'09	14'97	14'46	15'18	12'46
1880	15'47	13'70	14'85	13'59	13'24	16'12	11'46
1881	15'17	14'16	14'49	15'02	13'80	14'77	11'13
1882	16'12	15'31	15'15	17'99	14'16	15'79	11'19
1883	14'68	14'18	14'83	18'82	17'93	17'06	11'45
1884	16'14	14'27	15'52	22'97	21'87	15'50	10'39
1885	16'41	14'73	12'47	19'58	17'60	15'40	10'76
Mean for 10 years	15'93	14'91	14'71	17'94	15'70	16'11	11'39

## No. 15.—Arrivals by Sea, 1876-85.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
1876	21,256	6,774	28,030	2,364	1,852	4,216	696	32,942
1877	23,638	8,647	32,285	2,895	2,564	5,459	884	38,628
1878	22,860	9,181	32,041	2,872	2,481	5,353	2,485	39,879
1879	25,738	10,669	36,407	3,137	2,978	6,115	1,979	44,501
1880	26,894	10,499	37,393	2,932	2,603	5,535	2,942	45,870
1881	26,712	10,770	37,482	3,016	2,760	5,776	4,465	47,723
1882	27,207	10,542	37,749	2,755	2,545	5,300	1,007	47,289
1883	39,946	16,130	56,076	4,661	4,533	9,194	1,936	67,206
1884	42,999	17,850	60,849	4,782	4,664	9,446	2,191	72,486
1885	46,918	18,829	65,747	4,996	4,466	9,462	2,929	78,138

## No. 16.—Departures by Sea, 1876-85.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Chinese.	General Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
1876	14,089	4,945	19,034	1,162	787	1,949	940	21,923
1877	12,908	5,150	18,058	980	646	1,626	490	20,174
1878	13,691	5,393	19,084	1,409	860	2,269	1,560	22,913
1879	12,853	5,415	18,268	1,215	655	1,870	557	20,695
1880	16,270	7,054	23,324	1,612	747	2,359	876	26,559
1881	15,101	6,704	21,805	1,424	667	2,091	929	24,825
1882	17,683	7,080	24,763	1,547	778	2,325	884	27,972
1883	21,039	8,845	29,884	1,845	1,265	3,110	1,402	34,396
1884	25,093	10,390	35,483	2,173	1,560	3,733	1,038	40,254
1885	23,385	10,136	33,521	1,805	1,343	3,208	1,726	38,455

No. 17.—Immigrants at the Public Expense, under Assisted Immigration Regulations, 1876–85.

Year.	Adults.			Children.			Total.
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	
1876	642	429	1,071	208	184	392	1,463
1877	2,892	1,627	4,519	743	756	1,499	6,018
1878	2,091	1,754	3,845	699	646	1,345	5,190
1879	1,906	2,141	4,047	840	844	1,684	5,731
1880	1,150	1,195	2,345	414	375	789	3,134
1881	929	1,029	1,958	327	292	619	2,577
1882	1,209	991	2,200	509	524	1,033	3,233
1883	3,370	2,718	6,088	1,154	1,127	2,281	8,369
1884	2,785	2,606	5,391	1,095	1,082	2,177	7,568
1885	1,871	2,211	4,082	736	736	1,472	5,554

No. 18.—Number of Patients treated in the Hospitals of the Colony, together with Receipts and Disbursements on account of the same, during the year 1885.

	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
Patients in Establishments at close of 1884.	599	402	1,001
Patients admitted during 1885 .....	6,412	5,380	11,792
„ discharged „ .....	5,748	4,681	10,429
„ died „ .....	722	607	1,329
„ remaining at close of 1885..	541	494	1,035
Paupers receiving out-door relief ...	76	3	79 <sup>a</sup>
Receipts from the Colonial Treasury	£14,280	£21,967	£36,247 <sup>b</sup>
„ voluntary contributions	£13,756	£31,870	£45,626 <sup>b</sup>
Total from all sources .....	£28,036	£53,737	£81,873 <sup>b</sup>
Disbursements during the year .....	£30,772	£53,928	£84,699 <sup>b</sup>
Number of Hospitals open .....	4	61	65

<sup>a</sup> Daily average.

<sup>b</sup> Information not complete.

No. 19.—Public Hospitals: Number of Patients and Annual Death-rate.

Year.	Patients.	Deaths.	Death-rate per Thousand.
1876	6,358	730	114·8
1877	6,208	642	103·4
1878	7,393	738	99·8
1879	7,560	755	99·8
1880	8,315	847	101·8
1881	9,136	946	103·5
1882	8,445	894	105·8
1883	8,245	796	96·5
1884	9,318	952	102·2
1885	12,793	1,329	103·9
Mean Death-rate for 10 years.....			103·0



No. 20.—Charitable Institutions: Operations of, during the year 1885.

	Government Benevolent Asylums—Adults.	Orphan and Industrial Schools, also Children in Benevolent Asylums.	Other Charitable Institutions.
Number of persons in Institutions at close of 1884 .....	1,649	1,370	255
Number of persons admitted during 1885 .....	2,910	1,190	510
" discharged .....	2,361	1,207	461
" died .....	554	70	74
" remaining at close of 1885 .....	1,844	1,283	230
Total persons dealt with in the Institu- tions .....	4,559	2,560	765
Total persons received out-door relief...	4,675 (Total cases.)	.....	.....
Receipts from Colonial Treasury .....	£32,906	£18,691	£2,568
" voluntary subscriptions...	£3,944	£10,799	£5,809 <sup>a</sup>
Total from all sources .....	£36,851	£29,491	£8,377 <sup>a</sup>
Disbursements during the year .....	£37,250	£24,935	£5,689 <sup>a</sup>
Number of Institutions.....	7	12	7

<sup>a</sup> Information not complete.

No. 21.—Charitable Institutions: Expenditure by Government in connection with, for the years 1876-85.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	68,555 6 8	1881	79,603 11 6
1877	68,736 9 5	1882	98,318 19 8
1878	77,264 9 2	1883	110,049 1 11
1879	97,657 16 7	1884	97,650 16 8
1880	83,061 15 1	1885	90,412 15 8

No. 22.—Hospitals for Insane: Patients during 1885.

Particulars regarding Patients.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Patients at close of 1884 .....	1,552	972	2,524
Admitted during 1885 for the first time .....	318	205	523
" re-admission .....	20	24	44
Total under care during 1885.....	1,890	1,201	3,091
Discharged—recovered .....	151	83	234
" relieved .....	15	25	40
Died .....	118	49	167
Percentage of recoveries to total patients .....	8'00	6'91	7'57
" relieved .....	0'79	2'10	1'29
" deaths .....	6'24	4'09	5'40
Average number resident during the year .....	1,550	985	2,535

No. 23.—Birthplaces of Patients in Hospitals for Insane, with Percentage of each Country to Total.

Native Country of Patients.	Number of Patients.	Percentage to Total.
New South Wales.....	856	26·72
Other British Colonies.....	105	3·27
England.....	779	24·32
Ireland.....	947	29·57
Scotland.....	161	5·03
France.....	23	0·72
Germany.....	76	2·37
China.....	70	2·19
Other Countries.....	186	5·81

NOTE.—The number of patients was less than shown on the above table, owing to transfers from one hospital to another being reckoned in both hospitals. The exact number was 3,091.

No. 24.—Number of Patients, at different Ages, in Hospitals for Insane, with Percentage to Total Patients.

Ages.	Number of Patients.	Percentage to Total of all Ages.	Percentage of Total Population at respective Ages—Census, 1881.
Under 5 years.....	10	0·31	14·84
5 to 10 „.....	40	1·25	13·22
10 to 15 „.....	49	1·53	11·81
15 to 20 „.....	102	3·18	10·11
20 to 30 „.....	458	14·30	18·03
30 to 40 „.....	750	23·42	12·95
40 to 50 „.....	824	25·73	9·46
50 to 60 „.....	543	16·96	5·27
60 to 70 „.....	284	8·87	2·96
70 to 80 „.....	124	3·87	1·09
Over 80 „.....	19	0·59	0·26

See note to previous table respecting total number of patients.

No. 25.—Proportion of Insane Persons to whole Population, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Patients.	Number per Thousand of whole Population.	Year.	Number of Patients.	Number per Thousand of whole Population.
1876	2,524	4·11	1881	2,921	3·75
1877	2,704	4·20	1882	3,004	3·70
1878	2,715	4·04	1883	2,780	3·24
1879	2,668	3·76	1884	2,896	3·20
1880	2,819	3·79	1885	3,091	3·23

**No. 26.—Suicides: Number of, and Proportion to Total Deaths 1876–85.**

Year.	Suicides by Males.		Suicides by Females.		Total Suicides.	
	Number.	Per Thousand of Total Deaths of Males.	Number.	Per Thousand of Total Deaths of Females.	Number.	Per Thousand of Deaths of whole Population
1876	51	7·8	10	2·1	61	5·45
1877	55	9·4	11	2·7	66	6·68
1878	41	6·5	7	1·6	48	4·46
1879	55	9·0	7	1·7	62	6·08
1880	50	7·5	17	3·8	67	5·96
1881	68	10·0	10	2·1	78	6·76
1882	52	6·8	8	1·5	60	4·68
1883	48	6·7	11	2·1	59	4·82
1884	55	6·6	8	1·4	63	4·43
1885	52	5·8	7	1·1	59	3·86

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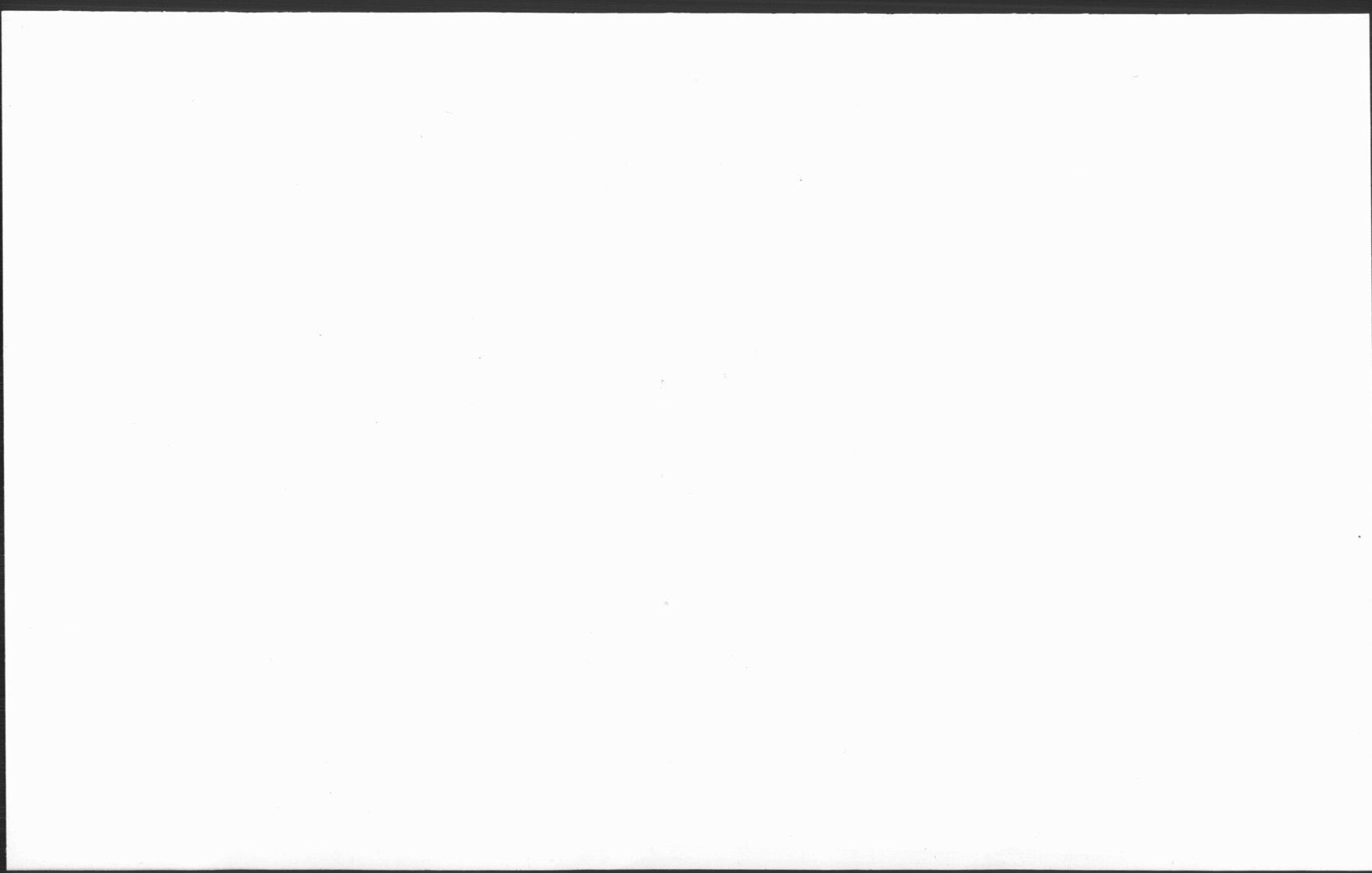
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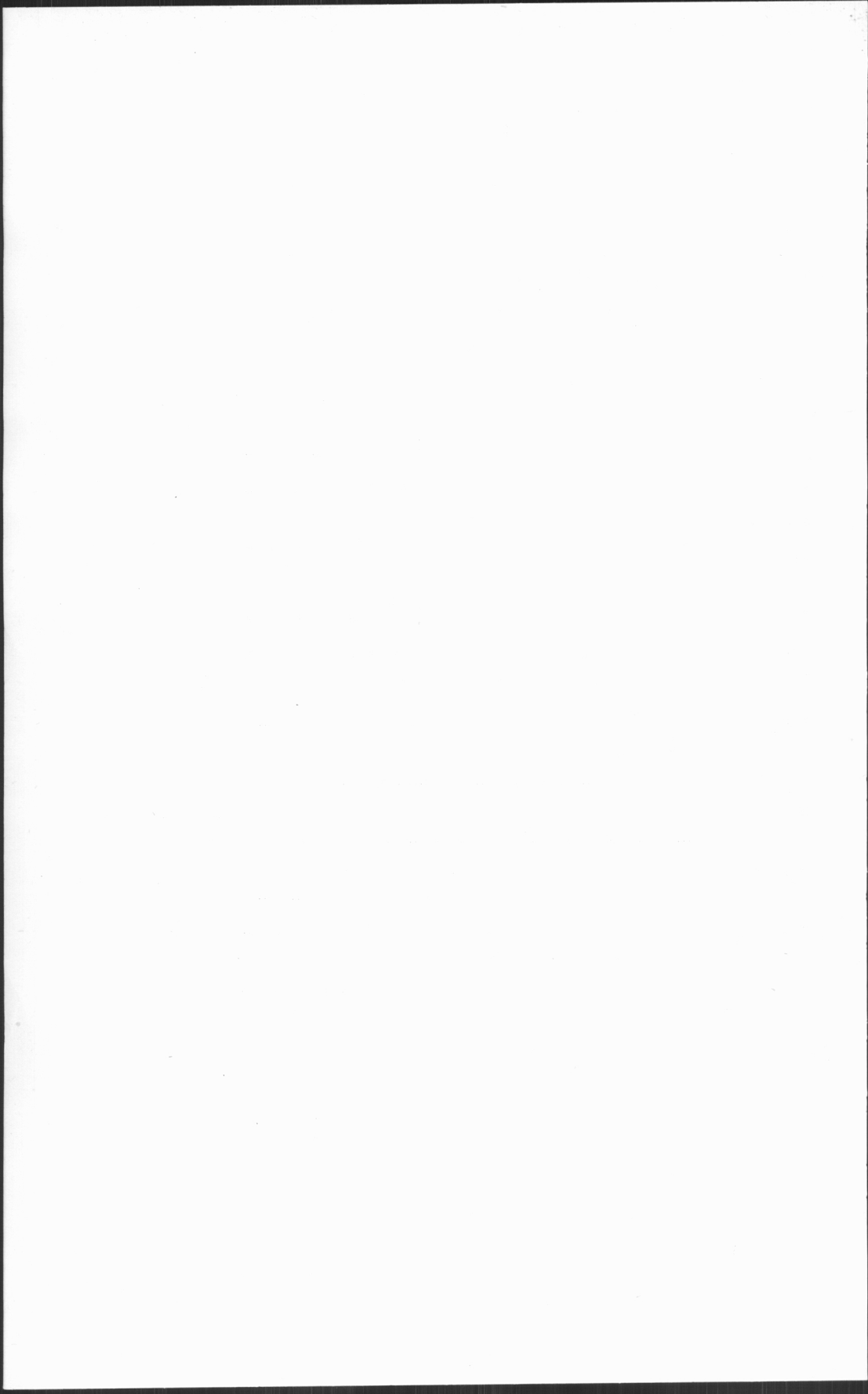
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### No. 27.—Education: Number of Schools, Teachers, and Scholars, in the year 1885.

	Number.	Teachers.			Scholars or Students.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Public Schools.....	2,046	1,759	1,769	3,528	93,584	87,345	180,929
Orphan and Industrial Schools and Reformatories, under Department of Public Instruction .....	6	18	6	24	410	234	644
Sydney Grammar School ...	1	17	...	17	408	.....	408
Deaf and Dumb and Blind...	1	2	5	7	44	37	81
Private Schools .....	611	332	1,322	1,654	16,013	19,954	35,967
Sydney University .....	1	37 <sup>a</sup>	...	37	203	.....	203
	2,666	2,165	3,102	5,267	110,662	107,570	218,232

<sup>a</sup> Includes Colleges.

### No. 28.—Education: Number of Schools, Teachers, and Scholars, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1876	1,629	1,267	1,382	2,649	68,802	62,818	131,620
1877	1,695	1,260	1,528	2,788	72,213	66,054	138,267
1878	1,744	1,345	1,583	2,928	77,233	71,555	148,788
1879	1,819	1,416	1,714	3,130	80,575	74,715	155,290
1880	1,910	1,518	1,875	3,393	86,962	82,479	169,441
1881	2,066	1,655	2,117	3,772	101,450	95,962	197,412
1882	2,161	1,799	2,355	4,154	107,957	103,080	211,037
1883	2,315	1,904	2,639	4,543	96,459	93,524	189,983
1884	2,535	2,042	2,818	4,860	103,072	99,447	202,519
1885	2,666	2,165	3,102	5,267	110,662	107,570	218,232

### No. 29.—Education: Amount expended by the Government in connection with Primary Education, since the passing of the present Public Instruction Act.

Year.	Amount.	Per Head of Total Population.	Year.	Amount.	Per Head of Total Population.
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1880	409,280	11 3	1883	821,852	19 8
1881	480,000	12 7	1884	774,357	17 7
1882	618,800	15 7	1885	663,508	14 3



## No. 30.—Sydney University: Number of Students, and Result of Public Examinations.

Year.	Number of Students qualified for Matriculation.	Number of Students attending Lectures.	Public Examinations.			
			Number of Seniors who came up.	Number of Juniors who came up.	Number of Seniors who passed.	Number of Juniors who passed.
1876	34	58	53	356	40	212
1877	23	61	63	393	38	135
1878	24	62	58	304	41	243
1879	58	83	76	333	64	247
1880	64	76	66	381	51	209
1881	80	81	48	392	36	231
1882	101	97	57	398	43	240
1883	85	128	57	473	36	299
1884	142	203	65	563	48	379
1885	115	203	84	645	73	440

## No. 31.—Sydney University: Degrees Conferred since Foundation.

	B.A.	M.A.	M.B.	M.D.	LL.B.	LL.D.	B.Sc.	B.E.	Total.
1856	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
1857	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1858	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1859	8	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
1860	8	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
1861	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
1862	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
1863	16	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
1864	5	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	13
1865	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
1866	13	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	17
1867	9	2	1	...	1	2	...	...	15
1868	11	4	...	3	2	...	...	...	20
1869	11	7	...	...	3	...	...	...	21
1870	12	9	4	...	...	2	...	...	27
1871	9	7	2	...	3	...	...	...	21
1872	11	7	...	3	1	...	...	...	22
1873	10	6	1	1	1	3	...	...	22
1874	14	6	2	2	...	1	...	...	25
1875	7	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	19
1876	11	17	1	...	...	...	...	...	29
1877	12	6	...	2	...	2	...	...	22
1878	11	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	20
1879	17	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1880	23	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
1881	10	8	1	2	1	...	...	...	22
1882	19	20	...	9	1	2	...	...	51
1883	21	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
1884	22	14	...	1	1	1	...	...	39
1885	25	8	...	...	2	2	2	3	42
1886	20	8	1	2	...	1	...	2	34
Total.....	363	193	14	26	20	19	2	5	647

No. 32.—Sydney University : Receipts and Expenditure, 1876-85.

Year.	Receipts.				Expenditure.
	Government Aid.	College Fees.	Other Sources.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	5,000 0 0	403 4 6	4,904 13 10	10,307 18 4	10,681 11 8
1877	5,000 0 0	333 18 0	6,261 15 4	11,595 13 4	9,616 17 3
1878	6,168 0 0	324 6 6	3,556 1 1	10,048 7 7	10,849 14 10
1879	5,114 3 6	476 5 7	3,223 7 10	8,813 16 11	8,661 0 9
1880	6,500 0 0	457 9 9	3,960 8 7	10,917 18 4	9,870 16 5
1881	6,000 0 0	705 15 3	8,577 7 11	15,283 3 2	10,693 4 11
1882	12,963 11 0	1,080 3 6	2,105 15 7	16,149 10 1	12,700 19 3
1883	14,342 15 0 <sup>a</sup>	1,265 15 8	4,040 17 11	19,649 8 7	19,769 12 1
1884	15,500 0 0	2,207 3 2	2,600 15 1	20,307 18 3	18,203 12 7
1885	16,500 0 0	2,108 11 3	1,729 14 10	20,338 6 1	21,577 6 11

<sup>a</sup> Exclusive of additions, repairs, furniture, &c.

No. 33.—Art Gallery and Museum : Number of Visitors during 1885.

Institution.	Receipts from Government.	Average number of Visitors daily.		Total Visits during the year.
		Week days.	Sundays.	
National Art Gallery .....	£ 7,000	552	2,106	250,837 <sup>a</sup>
Australian Museum.....	6,900	264	844	126,512
Technological, Industrial, and Sanitary Museum.....	4,400	103	463	56,584

<sup>a</sup> Open 325 days only.

No. 34.—Public Libraries and Schools of Art.

Institutions.	Original Cost of Buildings, where freehold.	Receipts during 1885.			Number of Volumes.
		From Government.	Private Contributions.	Total.	
Sydney Free Library.	£ s. d. 5,570 12 5 (Cost of purchase.)	£ s. d. 10,220 19 7	£ s. d. .....	£ s. d. 10,220 19 7	46,000, Reference; 20,426, Lending; 2,113, Loans to Country Libraries.
Other Libraries and Schools of Arts, Sydney and Suburbs.	34,379 0 0	1,372 0 5	4,374 11 11	5,746 12 4	34,392
Country Libraries and Schools of Arts.	118,749 0 0	6,224 1 8	11,368 0 8	17,592 2 4	114,191

<sup>a</sup> In four cases the Libraries are connected with the Municipal Buildings, and the cost is not included in this amount.

**No. 35.—Ecclesiastical: Number of Places of Worship, Clergy, Accommodation and Attendance at Churches, &c., during 1885.**

Denomination.	Clergy registered under the Acts 19 Vic., Nos. 30 and 34.	Churches and Chapels.	Sittings.	Average attendance at Churches and Chapels.	Average attendance at other Places of Worship.	Total average attendance.
Church of England...	278	556	91,524	62,174	12,361	74,535
Roman Catholic .....	233	323	48,691	70,933	8,241	79,174
Presbyterian .....	126	219	33,208	18,079	8,491	26,570
Wesleyan Methodist..	124	335	49,685	36,422	9,045	45,467
Other Methodist.....	22	79	11,781	7,059	639	7,698
Congregational .....	49	47	14,268	8,204	1,219	9,423
Baptist .....	22	24	5,290	2,710	700	3,410
Salvation Army .....	1	46	19,500	25,500	3,000	28,500*
Other Denominations	21	28	4,601	2,701	1,063	3,764
Total.....	876	1,657	278,548	233,752	44,759	278,541

\* So stated by Salvation Army authorities.

**No. 36.—Estimated number of Persons of different Religious Persuasions at the close of the year 1885.**

Denomination	Adherents.	Denomination.	Adherents.
Church of England .....	435,853	Baptist .....	9,387
Roman Catholic.....	264,672	Hebrew .....	4,214
Presbyterians .....	92,534	Other Denominations .....	50,770
Wesleyan and other Methodist...	82,188		
Congregational .....	18,296		957,914

**No. 37.—Sunday Schools: Number of Schools maintained by various Denominations, Teachers, and Attendance of Children, during the year 1885.**

Denomination.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.			Number of Children on Registers.			Average attendance of Children.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England.....	493	1,093	2,187	3,280	17,954	21,880	39,834	12,532	15,659	28,191
Roman Catholic.....	361	320	1,027	1,347	10,768	13,651	24,419	8,410	10,946	19,356
Presbyterian ...	204	530	723	1,253	5,170	5,971	11,141	3,789	4,427	8,216
Wesleyan Methodist.....	291	1,150	1,303	2,453	10,509	12,221	22,730	7,576	8,851	16,427
Other Methodist .....	70	401	307	708	3,072	3,376	6,448	2,349	2,698	5,047
Congregational.	53	321	337	658	3,253	3,690	6,943	2,341	2,776	5,117
Baptist .....	25	91	88	179	809	926	1,735	662	757	1,419
Other Denominations .....	16	58	50	108	453	542	995	332	417	749
Total.....	1,513	3,964	6,022	9,986	51,988	62,257	114,245	37,991	46,531	84,522

No. 38.—Sunday Schools: Number of Schools, Teachers, and Attendance, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers.	Average Attendance.		
			Male.	Female.	Total.
1876	1,058	7,099	27,443	31,394	58,837
1877	1,121	7,615	28,943	33,094	62,037
1878	1,196	8,063	29,877	34,699	64,576
1879	1,285	8,491	31,802	37,710	69,512
1880	1,340	9,027	33,304	39,089	72,393
1881	1,405	9,289	34,950	40,722	75,672
1882	1,318	9,190	34,393	41,334	75,727
1883	1,441	9,793	35,205	42,610	77,815
1884	1,461	9,426	35,883	43,202	79,085
1885	1,513	9,986	37,991	46,531	84,522

No. 39.—Amounts paid to the Clergy of different Denominations since the passing of the Act for the Abolition of State Aid to Religion.

Year.	Church of England.		Roman Catholic Church.		Presbyterian.		Wesleyan Methodist.		Total.—All Denominations.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1863	17,967	0 10	8,748	0 1	2,873	3 11	2,784	12 3	32,372	17 1
1864	17,518	11 1	8,233	19 0	2,614	6 8	1,179	7 9	29,546	4 6
1865	14,111	1 2	7,430	10 2	3,089	13 4	1,572	10 4	26,203	15 0
1866	13,977	12 0	7,445	16 8	2,852	0 0	1,572	10 4	25,847	19 0
1867	13,254	17 0	7,275	0 0	2,852	0 0	1,572	10 4	24,954	7 4
1868	12,766	17 3	7,083	6 8	2,846	15 1	1,965	12 11	24,662	11 11
1869	12,370	3 8	6,796	7 5	2,487	6 11	1,572	10 4	23,226	8 4
1870	12,386	9 6	6,583	6 8	2,179	18 4	1,572	10 4	22,722	4 10
1871	10,994	5 0	6,416	13 4	1,942	11 2	1,572	10 0	20,925	19 6
1872	12,186	12 0	6,034	5 11	1,822	11 3	1,484	1 1	21,527	10 3
1873	11,236	9 6	5,804	3 4	1,702	0 0	1,372	10 0	20,115	2 10
1874	11,224	7 11	5,962	10 0	1,560	3 4	1,372	10 0	20,119	11 3
1875	10,724	18 4	5,608	6 8	1,625	10 0	1,372	10 0	19,331	5 0
1876	10,212	13 3	5,300	0 0	1,778	10 0	1,029	7 7	18,320	10 10
1877	9,803	11 2	5,024	1 2	1,702	0 0	1,715	12 5	18,245	4 9
1878	9,180	2 3	4,550	0 0	1,702	0 0	1,029	7 9	16,461	10 0
1879	8,238	1 1	4,356	19 9	1,702	0 0	1,372	10 4	15,689	11 2
1880	7,739	2 0	3,892	12 1	1,702	0 0	1,715	12 11	15,049	7 0
1881	7,412	4 8	3,729	3 4	1,689	10 0	991	17 9	13,822	15 9
1882	6,557	10 4	3,487	10 0	1,636	3 4	1,455	8 7	13,136	12 3
1883	6,082	10 4	3,245	16 8	1,407	1 8	1,324	7 6	12,059	16 2
1884	5,975	5 2	3,025	0 0	1,177	0 0	1,222	10 0	11,399	15 2
1885	6,040	17 0	3,000	0 0	1,052	0 0	1,136	5 0	11,229	2 0



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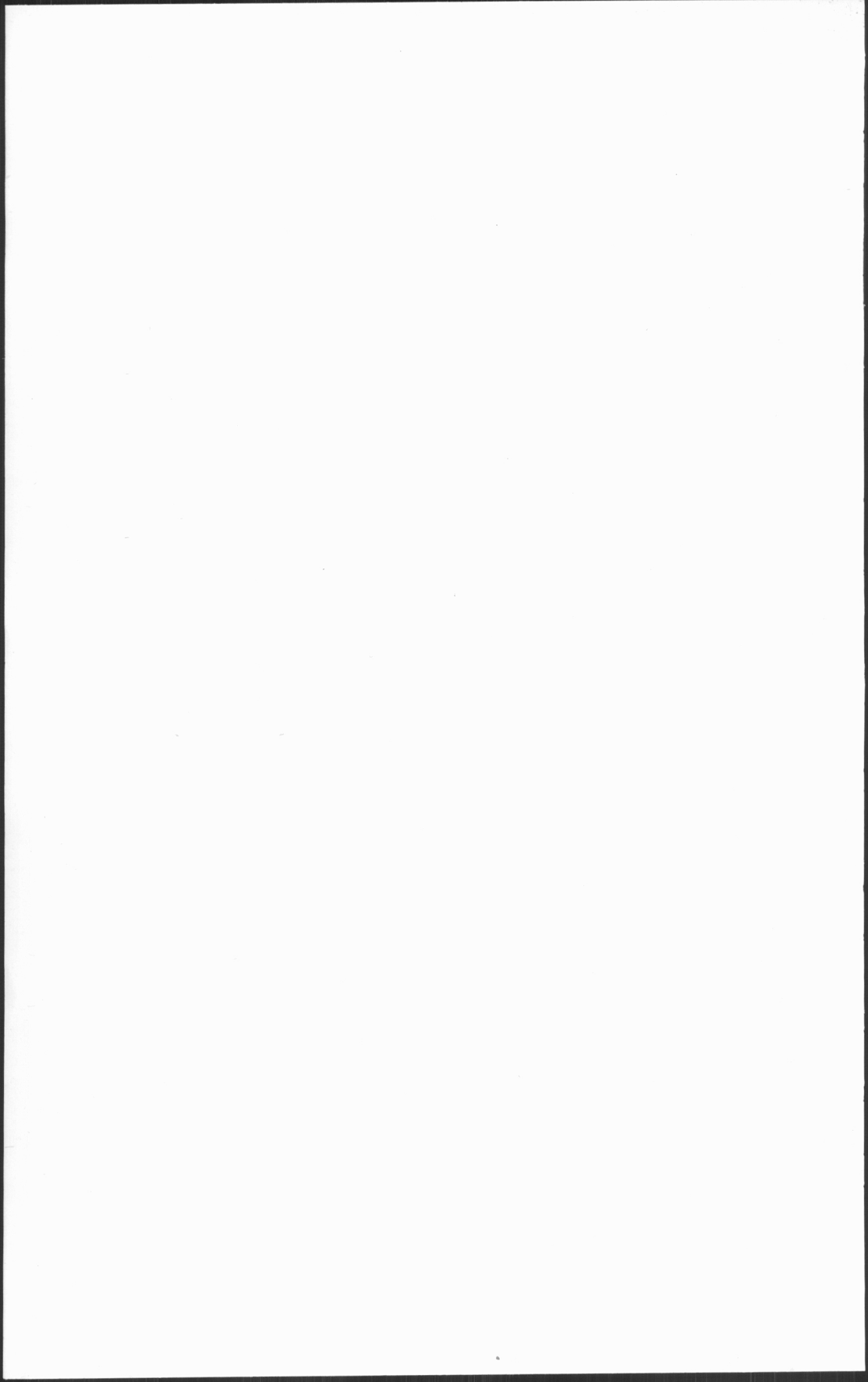
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**No. 40.—Degree of Education of Persons Arrested, 1876-85.**

Year.	Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior Education.	Total Arrests.
1876	3,841	1,320	21,832	.....	26,993
1877	3,842	1,269	23,238	.....	28,349
1878	4,017	1,529	25,172	.....	30,718
1879	3,493	1,230	27,984	153	32,860
1880	4,065	1,197	30,350	162	35,774
1881	4,034	1,123	36,083	162	41,402
1882	4,059	964	34,553	182	39,758
1883	3,859	1,058	38,071	189	43,177
1884	3,871	1,096	41,030	202	46,199
1885	3,925	937	43,185	214	48,261

**No. 41.—Percentage of each Degree to Total Arrests, 1876-85.**

Year.	Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write, and Superior Education.
1876	14'22	4'89	80'89
1877	13'55	4'47	81'98
1878	13'07	4'97	81'96
1879	10'62	3'74	85'64
1880	11'36	3'34	85'30
1881	9'74	2'71	87'55
1882	10'20	2'42	87'38
1883	8'93	2'45	88'62
1884	8'37	2'37	89'26
1885	8'13	1'94	89'93

## No. 42.—Ages of Persons Arrested during the period

Year.	Over 10 and under 15 years.			Over 15 and under 20 years.			Over 20 and under 30 years.			Over 30 and under 40 years.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1879	577	143	720	1,689	532	2,221	7,585	1,689	9,274	7,080	2,097	9,177
1880	643	115	758	1,923	557	2,480	8,500	1,959	10,459	7,627	1,996	9,623
1881	735	135	870	1,766	486	2,252	10,001	1,996	11,997	9,176	2,093	11,269
1882	629	139	768	1,556	363	1,919	9,450	1,608	11,058	8,683	1,885	10,568
1883	700	139	839	2,037	469	2,506	10,743	1,769	12,512	9,409	1,854	11,263
1884	666	120	786	2,143	541	2,684	11,822	1,809	13,631	10,050	1,967	12,017
1885	693	142	835	2,109	487	2,596	12,447	2,150	14,597	10,812	1,964	12,776
Number of persons of each Class at the Census of 1881.	45,071	43,408	88,479	38,169	37,565	75,734	75,106	59,969	135,075	56,699	40,345	97,044

## No. 43.—Percentage of the Arrests at various Ages to the Total Arrests, and at the

Year.	Over 10 and under 15 years.			Over 15 and under 20 years.			Over 20 and under 30 years.		
	Percentage to Total Male Arrests.	Percentage to Total Female Arrests.	Percentage to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Male Arrests.	Percentage to Total Female Arrests.	Percentage to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Male Arrests.	Percentage to Total Female Arrests.	Percentage to Total Arrests.
1879	M. 2.22	F. 2.09	2.20	M. 6.49	F. 7.78	6.76	M. 29.15	F. 24.67	28.24
1880	2.23	1.65	2.12	6.67	8.02	6.94	29.48	28.19	29.24
1881	2.17	1.78	2.11	5.23	6.42	5.43	29.57	26.34	28.98
1882	1.91	2.05	1.93	4.72	5.35	4.83	28.65	23.72	27.82
1883	1.93	2.02	1.94	5.62	6.81	5.80	29.59	25.67	28.98
1884	1.72	1.65	1.68	5.52	7.46	5.81	30.35	24.92	29.51
1885	1.69	1.91	1.73	5.18	6.56	5.38	30.49	28.96	30.25
Percentage of persons of each Class at the Census of 1881	14.86	18.42	16.42	12.59	15.94	14.05	24.76	25.45	25.06

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1879-85; also, the number of each Class at the Census of 1881.

Over 40 and under 50 years.			Over 50 and under 60 years.			Over 60 years.			Total.		General Total.
M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	
5,020	1,280	6,300	2,440	625	3,065	1,623	480	1,103	26,014	6,846	32,860
5,400	1,289	6,689	2,926	568	3,494	1,807	464	2,271	28,826	6,948	35,774
6,686	1,721	8,407	3,349	682	4,031	2,112	464	2,576	33,825	7,577	41,402
6,675	1,593	8,268	3,581	672	4,253	2,406	518	2,924	32,980	6,778	39,758
7,238	1,589	8,827	3,849	642	4,491	2,312	427	2,739	36,288	6,889	43,177
7,829	1,575	9,404	4,058	846	4,904	2,377	396	2,773	38,945	7,254	46,199
8,157	1,697	9,854	4,105	612	4,717	2,516	370	2,886	40,839	7,422	48,261
43,668	27,189	70,857	24,735	14,758	39,493	19,867	12,362	32,229	303,315	235,596	538,911

the Proportion each Class bore to the Total Population over 10 years of age, Census of 1881.

Over 30 and under 40 years.			Over 40 and under 50 years.			Over 50 and under 60 years.			Over 60 years.		
Percentage to Total Male Arrests.			Percentage to Total Female Arrests.			Percentage to Total Arrests.			Percentage to Total Male Arrests.		
Percentage to Total Female Arrests.			Percentage to Total Male Arrests.			Percentage to Total Female Arrests.			Percentage to Total Female Arrests.		
Percentage to Total Arrests.			Percentage to Total Male Arrests.			Percentage to Total Female Arrests.			Percentage to Total Arrests.		
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
27.22	30.63	27.93	19.29	18.53	19.18	9.38	9.12	9.33	6.34	6.85	3.36
26.46	28.75	26.90	18.74	18.55	18.69	10.16	8.17	9.77	6.26	6.67	6.34
27.13	27.62	27.22	19.76	22.71	20.31	9.89	9.01	9.74	6.25	6.12	6.21
26.32	27.81	26.58	20.24	23.50	20.79	10.85	9.92	10.69	7.31	7.65	7.36
25.93	26.92	26.08	19.95	23.97	20.45	10.61	9.32	10.40	6.37	6.19	6.35
25.79	27.12	26.02	20.10	21.72	20.35	10.42	11.68	10.61	6.10	5.45	6.01
26.48	26.47	26.47	19.96	22.87	20.42	10.05	8.25	9.77	6.15	4.98	5.98
18.69	17.13	18.01	14.40	11.55	13.15	8.15	6.26	7.33	6.55	5.25	5.98

**No. 44.—Birthplace of all Persons Apprehended during 1885, and Percentage of each Class to Total Apprehensions.**

	Number Arrested.	Per cent. of Total Arrests.
New South Wales.....	13,080	27'16
Other Australian Colonies .....	2,537	5'25
England .....	11,617	24'07
Scotland .....	3,851	7'97
Ireland .....	13,632	28'24
Other British Possessions .....	709	1'46
France .....	272	0'56
Germany .....	610	1'26
China .....	265	0'54
Other Foreign Countries .....	1,688	0'49
Total .....	48,261	

**No. 45.—Religions of all Persons Apprehended during 1885.**

Denomination.	Persons Arrested.
Church of England .....	18,518
Roman Catholic .....	22,149
Presbyterian .....	4,239
Wesleyan.....	758
Independent .....	68
Baptist.....	105
Other Protestants .....	722
Other Persuasions, no Religion, and Religion unknown .....	1,265
Jews.....	150
Pagans.....	287
Total .....	48,261

No. 46.—Number and Age of Persons Apprehended for various Classes of Offences during the year 1885, and the manner in which the Cases were dealt with.

Offences.	Number.			Ages.																How disposed of.					
				Under 15.		15-20.		20-30.		30-40.		40-50.		50-60.		Over 60.		Dismissed.		Summarily Convicted.		Com-mitted.			
	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
Against the person ....	2,767	2,599	168	13	1	224	23	1,237	69	594	37	347	27	134	6	50	5	545	43	1,750	91	304	34		
Against property, with violence .....	227	218	9	13	..	42	..	95	5	41	3	15	..	8	1	4	..	59	4	16	1	143	4		
Against property, with-out violence.....	4,757	4,226	531	286	24	531	90	1,660	177	920	105	443	100	234	20	152	15	1,081	106	2,388	295	757	70		
Forgery and offences against the currency..	130	122	8	..	2	13	..	42	4	38	1	14	1	8	..	7	..	15	1	5	1	102	6		
Against good order, including drunkenness..	38,520	32,078	6,442	373	112	1,235	353	8,863	1,817	8,752	1,735	7,021	1,521	3,570	568	2,256	336	3,651	509	28,417	5,927	10	6		
Not included in the pre-ceding .....	1,860	1,596	264	8	3	64	21	550	78	467	83	317	48	143	17	47	14	617	101	950	161	29	2		
Total .....	48,261	40,839	7,422	693	142	2,109	487	12,447	2,150	10,812	1,964	8,157	1,697	4,105	612	2,516	370	5,968	824	33,526	6,476	1,345	122		

	Apprehended.	Summoned.	Total.
Cases Dismissed .....	6,792	9,415	16,207
Summary Convictions .....	40,002	19,343	59,345
Committed for Trial .....	1,467	73	1,540

General Total ..... 77,092

**No. 47.—Arrests, Summary Convictions, Acquittals, Discharges, Committals; also, Convictions and Acquittals in Superior Courts, and ultimate Disposal of all Persons Arrested.**

Year.	Arrests. <i>a</i>	Summary Convictions and Acquittals in Inferior Courts. <i>a</i>		Committals. <i>a</i>	Convicted and Acquitted in the Superior Courts.		Ultimate Disposal of all Persons Arrested.	
	Total number of Arrests.	Summary Convictions.	Acquitted or Discharged.	Committed for Trial.	Convicted after Commitment.	Acquitted after Commitment (including those Discharged.)	Ultimately Convicted.	Ultimately Acquitted.
1876	26,993	19,465	6,263	1,265	810	455	20,275	6,718
1877	28,349	20,721	6,256	1,372	817	555	21,538	6,811
1878	30,718	23,216	5,818	1,684	986	698	24,202	6,516
1879	32,860	25,506	5,759	1,595	1,090	505	26,896	6,264
1880	35,774	27,523	6,569	1,682	1,152	530	28,675	7,099
1881	41,402	33,063	6,748	1,591	1,066	525	34,129	7,273
1882	39,758	31,384	6,789	1,585	1,065	520	32,449	7,309
1883	43,177	35,437	6,154	1,586	1,012	574	36,449	6,728
1884	46,199	37,415	7,205	1,579	928	651	38,343	7,856
1885	48,261	40,002	6,792	1,467	785	682	40,787	7,474

*a* Persons summoned not included.

**No. 48.—Percentage of Arrests and Convictions to the whole Population; and of those Summarily dealt with, to Total Arrests; also, of those Convicted and Acquitted after Commitment, to Total Committals.**

Year.	Arrests.	Summarily Convicted.	Summarily Acquitted or Discharged.	Committals.	Convicted in the Superior Courts.	Acquitted in the Superior Courts.	Ultimately Convicted.	Ultimately Acquitted.
	Percentage of Arrests to the whole Population.	Percentage of Summarily Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of those Acquitted or Discharged to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Arrests.	Percentage to Total Committals.	Percentage of Total Committals.	Percentage to the whole Population.	Percentage to the Total Arrests.
1876	4'46	72'12	23'20	4'68	64'03	35'97	3'35	24'88
1877	4'50	73'09	22'07	4'83	59'54	40'46	3'42	24'02
1878	4'66	75'58	18'94	5'48	58'55	41'45	3'67	21'21
1879	4'75	77'63	17'52	4'85	68'34	31'66	3'85	19'06
1880	4'92	76'94	18'36	4'70	68'49	31'51	3'80	19'84
1881	5'44	79'86	16'29	3'85	67'00	33'00	4'48	17'56
1882	5'00	78'94	17'07	3'99	67'19	32'81	4'08	18'38
1883	5'17	82'08	14'26	3'66	63'81	36'19	4'36	15'58
1884	5'24	80'99	15'59	3'42	58'77	41'23	4'35	17'00
1885	5'18	82'89	14'07	3'04	53'52	46'48	4'38	17'55

No. 49.—Number of Offences reported to the Police, during the period, 1876-85.

Year.	Total number of Offences reported.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.	Other Offences (excluding Drunkenness.)
		No.	No.	No.
1876	19,111	3,863	7,294	7,954
1877	21,604	4,405	7,629	9,570
1878	24,649	4,407	8,740	11,502
1879	23,479	3,759	7,452	12,268
1880	26,127	3,864	8,046	14,217
1881	28,806	4,355	8,374	16,077
1882	29,125	4,157	9,018	15,950
1883	31,162	4,619	7,697	18,846
1884	35,548	4,995	9,229	21,324
1885	34,210	4,810	8,951	20,449

No. 50.—Number of Persons (including Cases heard ex parte, but not Civil Cases) brought before the Magistrates' Courts, and manner in which they were disposed of.

Nature of Offences.	Total number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts.	Number of Persons.			
		Discharged for want of Prosecution or for want of Evidence.	Whose Cases were Dismissed on the merits.	Summarily Convicted.	Committed for Trial.
Offences against the person ...	9,518	2,644	1,319	5,159	396
Offences against property .....	7,209	1,456	1,078	3,649	1,026
Other cases .....	60,365	6,103	3,607	50,537	118
(Not including cases brought up for Lunacy.)					
Total number of persons summoned or apprehended.	77,092	10,203	6,004	59,345	1,540

No. 51.—The number of Summary Convictions and kind of Punishments inflicted for various Offences by the Benches of Magistrates in 1885.

Punishment.	Total number of Punishments.	For Offences against the Person.	For Offences against Property.	For other Offences.
Fine .....	34,084	3,083	1,329	29,672
Imprisonment, in lieu of fine or surety .....	18,521	1,003	466	17,052
Peremptory imprisonment .....	4,342	583	1,666	2,093
Whipping .....	11	.....	.....	11
Imprisonment, with whipping ...	1	1	.....	.....
Bound over, with or without sureties .....	412	217	37	158
Other punishments .....	1,974	272	151	1,551
Total .....	59,345	5,159	3,649	50,537

NOTE.—Includes summons cases.



# No. 52.—Indictments in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions.

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How the Cases tried in the Superior Courts ended.	Total.	Murder, other than Wife and Child Murder.	The Returns below include the Indictments for Attempts and Conspiracies to Commit the several Offences.										
			Manslaughter.	Attempt at Murder.	Concealment of Birth.	Abortion.	Rape.	Unnatural Crimes.	Other Offences against the Person.	Malicious injuries to Property.	Robbery with violence.	Other Offences against Property.	Miscellaneous Offences.
Supreme and Circuit Courts —													
Judgment for the Crown .....	150	6	8	7	1	4	2	5	36	4	...	60	17
Judgment for the Prisoner.....	99	12	4	2	...	1	4	2	23	2	2	38	9
Cases failing for want of prosecution .....	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	251	18	12	10	1	5	6	8	59	6	2	98	26
Courts of Quarter Sessions—													
Judgment for the Crown .....	635	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	120	1	12	460	37
Judgment for the Prisoner .....	348	...	...	2	3	...	1	5	81	1	6	233	16
Cases failing for want of prosecution .....	219	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	33	1	6	158	18
Prisoner found insane.....	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	1,205	...	1	2	4	...	2	10	237	3	24	851	71
SUMMARY :—													
Judgment for the Crown .....	785	6	8	7	2	4	2	9	156	5	12	520	54
Judgment for the Prisoner .....	447	12	4	4	3	1	5	7	104	3	8	271	25
Cases failing for want of prosecution .....	221	...	1	1	...	...	1	2	33	1	6	158	18
Prisoner found insane.....	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	1,456	18	13	12	5	5	8	18	296	9	26	949	97
General Total.....	1,456	18	13	12	5	5	8	18	296	9	26	949	97

There were 1,540 cases committed for trial by magistrates during the year.

No. 53.—Offences, Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals, for the period 1876-85.

		1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
The number of Offences reported to the Police.....		19,111	21,604	24,649	23,479	26,127	28,806	29,125	31,162	35,548	34,210
The number of persons Apprehended by the Police, or summoned before the Magistrates .....		45,105	47,739	53,325	53,870	57,784	66,600	65,936	72,231	75,680	77,092
The number of Summary Convictions ...	1. For Offences against the Person.....	3,931	4,567	5,014	4,885	5,151	5,239	5,350	6,257	5,810	5,159
	2. For Offences against Property .....	2,694	2,788	3,087	3,217	3,286	3,453	4,014	3,395	3,594	3,649
	3. For other Offences .....	23,779	25,648	29,823	30,726	33,768	42,438	40,762	45,811	48,502	50,537
The number of Convictions in the Superior Courts .....	1. For Offences against the Person.....	184	228	188	210	204	164	188	239	289	206
	2. For Offences against Property .....	430	448	555	651	772	669	589	608	599	525
	3. For other Offences .....	208	153	216	229	172	225	288	161	40	54
The number of persons Acquitted .....	1. In the Inferior Courts...	5,575	5,431	5,178	5,688	5,223	5,569	5,514	5,840	6,219	6,004
	2. In the Superior Courts...	377	369	549	418	404	400	521	450	482	447

**No. 54.—Number of Convictions in the Supreme and Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions, for the period 1876–85.**

Year.	Felonies.			Misdemeanours.			Total Number of Convictions.
	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	Supreme and Circuit Courts.	Courts of Quarter Sessions.	Total.	
1876	163	439	602	58	150	208	810
1877	133	418	551	51	215	266	817
1878	188	465	653	88	245	333	986
1879	176	572	748	66	276	342	1,090
1880	142	674	816	58	278	336	1,152
1881	116	618	734	66	266	332	1,066
1882	127	587	714	44	307	351	1,065
1883	91	611	702	47	263	310	1,012
1884	105	598	703	50	174	224	927
1885	103	524	627	47	111	158	785

**No. 55.—Criminals Executed during the year 1885.**

Where Executed.	Religion.	Age.	Offence.	Where Born.	Number.
Sydney .....	Presbyterian...	60	Murder .....	England ...	1
Sydney .....	Wesleyan .....	25	Wounding, with intent to murder.	Victoria.....	1
Grafton .....	Lutheran .....	67	Murder .....	Finland.....	1

**No. 56.—Number of Criminals Executed in each year, from 1876 to 1885.**

Year.	Number.	Year.	Number.
1876	4	1881	2
1877	2	1882	3
1878	1	1883	1
1879	1	1884	2
1880	4	1885	3

No. 57.—Education, Ages, and Birthplaces of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness, 1879–85.

Year.	Total Arrests.	Education.				Ages.							Birthplaces.										
		Neither read nor write.	Read only.	Read and write.	Superior education.	Under 15 years.	15 to 20 years.	20 to 30 years.	30 to 40 years.	40 to 50 years.	50 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.	New South Wales.	Other Australian Colonies.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	China.	Other Foreign Counties.	
1879	17,715	1,593	563	15,500	59	12	632	4,417	5,432	3,996	1,959	1,267	3,481	395	4,614	6,503	1,606	233	141	214	50	478	
1880	18,777	1,796	491	16,431	59	10	547	4,931	5,770	4,111	2,153	1,255	3,733	357	4,983	6,866	1,615	178	126	230	22	567	
1881	22,560	1,763	418	20,324	55	18	538	5,870	6,616	5,384	2,630	1,504	4,523	551	5,958	8,259	1,860	275	203	303	56	572	
1882	21,393	1,831	422	19,074	66	9	464	5,182	6,152	5,242	2,700	1,644	4,397	590	5,473	7,324	2,077	169	142	308	35	878	
1883	23,178	1,698	492	20,909	79	17	533	5,958	6,802	5,441	2,876	1,551	4,954	630	5,748	8,224	1,968	266	197	301	39	801	
1884	24,438	1,639	507	22,202	90	21	557	6,236	6,983	6,046	3,068	1,587	5,841	829	5,897	8,285	2,286	303	146	230	29	859	
1885	26,291	1,822	459	23,914	96	13	554	6,820	7,722	6,474	2,991	1,717	5,479	1,033	6,734	8,866	2,457	364	132	329	40	857	

**No. 58.—Number of Persons Arrested for Drunkenness for the period 1876–85, with Percentage to Total Population.**

Year.	Total Arrests.	Male.	Females.	Percentage of Total Arrests to whole Population.	Percentage of Males arrested to Total Male Population.	Percentage of Females arrested to Total Female Population.
1876	16,171	12,546	3,625	2'67	3'82	1'31
1877	16,696	12,726	3,970	2'65	3'72	1'38
1878	17,224	13,166	4,108	2'61	3'67	1'37
1879	17,715	13,574	4,141	2'56	3'61	1'31
1880	18,777	14,801	3,976	2'58	3'72	1'21
1881	22,560	18,200	4,360	2'96	4'36	1'26
1882	21,393	17,574	3,819	2'69	4'03	1'06
1883	23,178	19,244	3,934	2'77	4'21	1'04
1884	24,438	20,261	4,177	2'77	4'19	1'04
1885	26,291	21,944	4,347	2'82	4'29	1'03

**No. 59.—Arrests for Drunkenness : Convictions and Discharges, 1876–85.**

Year.	Arrests.	Convictions.	Discharges.	Percentage of Convictions to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Discharges to Total Arrests.	Percentage of Convictions to whole Population
1876	16,171	12,517	3,654	77'4	22'6	2'07
1877	16,696	13,479	3,217	80'7	19'3	2'14
1878	17,224	14,639	2,385	84'9	15'1	2'22
1879	17,715	15,394	2,321	86'8	13'2	2'22
1880	18,777	15,996	2,781	85'1	14'9	2'20
1881	22,560	20,748	1,812	91'9	8'1	2'72
1882	21,393	18,593	2,800	86'9	13'1	2'34
1883	23,178	20,991	2,187	90'5	9'5	2'52
1884	24,438	21,957	2,481	89'8	10'2	2'49
1885	26,291	23,782	2,509	90'4	9'6	2'55

**No. 60.—Number of Persons Arrested for Habitual Drunkenness, with Percentage of Total Arrests.**

Year.	No.	Percentage of Total Arrests for Drunkenness.
1879	136	0'76
1880	107	0'56
1881	101	0'54
1882	141	0'65
1883	100	0'43
1884	108	0'44
1885	116	0'44

No. 61.—Prison Accommodation provided in the various Gaols of the Colony.

Gaol.—Where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one sleeps in each cell.	Gaol.—Where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one sleeps in each cell.
Darlinghurst, Sydney	346	650	Maitland.....	110	182
Albury .....	24	72	Mudgee .....	24	72
Armidale.....	24	68	Parramatta.....	152	180
Bathurst.....	38	123	Tamworth .....	12	64
Berrima .....	75	120	Wagga Wagga .....	11	33
Deniliquin .....	16	80	Wollongong .....	11	33
Dubbo.....	8	35	Yass.....	16	48
Goulburn .....	182	546	Young .....	12	42
Grafton .....	13	39			
Hay .....	12	58	Total Gaols.....	1,086	2,445

No. 62.—Prison Accommodation provided in the various Police Gaols of the Colony.

Gaol.—Where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one sleeps in each cell.	Gaol.—Where situated.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing in separate cells.	Prisoners the Gaol is capable of containing where more than one sleeps in each cell.
Bega .....	4	7	Murrurundi .....	4	12
Bingera .....	4	20	Muswellbrook .....	4	10
Bourke .....	12	36	Narrabri .....	6	36
Braidwood .....	12	36	Orange .....	8	33
Campbelltown .....	5	10	Port Macquarie .....	10	60
Casino.....	5	21	Queanbeyan .....	6	20
Cooma.....	5	15	Singleton.....	4	20
Coonabarabran .....	5	20	Taree .....	4	12
Coonamble .....	5	20	Tenterfield .....	4	24
Forbes .....	4	12	Walgett .....	2	10
Glen Innes .....	...	25	Warialda.....	4	20
Grenfell .....	No return.		Wellington .....	5	20
Gundagai .....	6	20	Wentworth.....	12	42
Gunnedah .....	4	16	Wilcannia .....	5	21
Hillston .....	No return.		Windsor .....	12	36
Inverell .....	7	21			
Kempsey West .....	2	8	Total, Police Gaols	172	672
Moree .....	2	9			

SUMMARY.

	Gaols.	Police Gaols.	Total.
Prisoners, Gaols are capable of containing in separate cells .....	1,086	172	1,258
Prisoners, Gaols are capable of containing, where more than one sleeps in each cell .....	2,445	672	3,117

**No. 63.—Total Number of Persons received into Gaols in the year 1885.**

In Gaol.	Gaols.		Police Gaols.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
For trial .....	1,924	367	325	23	2,249	390
In transitu .....	277	81	232	36	509	117
For debt .....	45	2	5	.....	50	2
Under sentence to labour .....	4,076	875	611	64	4,687	939
„ imprisonment .....	7,143	3,247	1,206	138	8,349	3,385
„ solitary confinement .....	5	.....	4	.....	9	.....
					15,853	4,833
					20,686	

**No. 64.—Total Deaths and Death-rate in all Gaols, from 1878 to 1885.**

Year.	Number of Persons under Sentence. <i>a</i>		Deaths.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons under Sentence.		Death-rate per Thousand Persons of both sexes under Sentence.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
1878	7,516	1,663	39	7	5'19	4'21	5'01
1879	6,984	1,714	36	7	5'15	4'08	4'94
1880	7,021	1,642	37	.....	5'27	.....	4'27
1881	8,426	1,743	53	7	6'28	4'01	5'90
1882	7,964	1,654	40	6	5'02	3'63	4'78
1883	9,062	1,731	30	5	3'31	2'89	3'24
1884	10,334	1,930	35	4	3'39	2'07	3'18
1885	10,330	2,099	39	11	3'77	5'24	4'02

*a* Distinct persons.

No. 65.—Ages of all Persons Sentenced to Imprisonment, Labour, or Solitary Confinement, during the year 1885.

LABOUR.

Ages.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 10 .....	2	2	4
10-20 .....	451	89	540
20-30 .....	1,633	289	1,922
30-40 .....	929	203	1,132
40-50 .....	482	150	632
Over 50 .....	579	142	721
Unknown .....	611	64	675
Total .....	4,687	939	5,626

IMPRISONMENT.

Ages.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 10 .....	4	5	9
10-20 .....	358	146	504
20-30 .....	1,946	712	2,658
30-40 .....	2,017	1,018	3,035
40-50 .....	1,389	790	2,179
Over 50 .....	1,429	576	2,005
Unknown .....	1,206	138	1,344
Total .....	8,349	3,385	11,734

SOLITARY CONFINEMENT.

Ages.	Males.	Females.	Total.
10-20 .....	5	.....	5
Unknown .....	4	.....	4

Total offences ..... 17,369  
 No. of distinct persons ..... 12,429



**No. 66.—Ages of Persons with previous Convictions, Committed to Gaol during the year 1885.**

Age	Committed once before.			Committed twice before.			Committed three or more times.			Total Committed with previous Convictions.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
10 to 20 .....	110	32	142	44	10	54	37	14	51	191	56	247
20 to 30 .....	376	59	435	152	51	203	173	135	308	701	245	946
30 to 40 .....	315	80	395	99	42	141	181	141	322	595	263	858
40 to 50 .....	171	50	221	77	33	110	138	133	271	386	216	602
Over 50 .....	180	39	219	88	19	107	227	116	343	495	174	669
Unspecified .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	342	44	386
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>1,412</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>615</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>1,295</b>	<b>2,710</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>3,708</b>

**No. 67.—Prisoners received into the Gaols, charged with Drunkenness and Vagrancy and other Offences, during 1885.**

## AGES.

Ages	Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Other Offences.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
<b>Under 10 .....</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>
10 to 20 .....	240	107	347	510	81	591	750	188	938
20 to 30 .....	1,460	393	1,853	1,908	162	2,070	3,368	555	3,923
30 to 40 .....	1,463	424	1,887	1,159	113	1,272	2,622	537	3,159
40 to 50 .....	1,092	369	1,461	615	91	706	1,707	460	2,167
50 and upwards .....	1,211	277	1,488	660	59	719	1,871	336	2,207
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>5,468</b>	<b>1,576</b>	<b>7,044</b>	<b>4,862</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>5,385</b>	<b>10,330</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>12,429</b>

## DEGREE OF EDUCATION.

Degree of Education.	Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Other Offences.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
<b>Read and write .....</b>	<b>4,814</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>6,122</b>	<b>4,209</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>4,621</b>	<b>9,023</b>	<b>1,720</b>	<b>10,743</b>
Read only .....	107	88	195	122	31	153	229	119	348
Cannot read .....	547	180	727	531	80	611	1,078	260	1,338
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>5,468</b>	<b>1,576</b>	<b>7,044</b>	<b>4,862</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>5,385</b>	<b>10,330</b>	<b>2,099</b>	<b>12,429</b>

No. 68.—Prisoners received into the Gaols, charged with Drunkenness and Vagrancy, and other Offences, during 1885.

RELIGIONS.

Religion.	Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Other Offences.			Total.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Church of England.....	2,246	485	2,731	2,158	174	2,332	4,404	659	5,063
Presbyterians .....	507	80	587	345	27	372	852	107	959
Wesleyans.....	83	23	106	121	11	132	204	34	238
Independents .....	3	.....	3	4	.....	4	7	.....	7
Baptists.....	9	.....	9	10	.....	10	19	.....	19
Other Protestants .....	24	1	25	26	.....	26	50	1	51
Roman Catholics .....	2,482	983	3,465	2,014	311	2,325	4,496	1,294	5,790
Jews .....	14	2	16	36	.....	36	50	2	52
Pagans .....	11	.....	11	52	.....	52	63	.....	63
Other Persuasions .....	60	.....	60	58	.....	58	118	.....	118
No Religion .....	29	2	31	36	.....	36	65	2	67
Religion unknown .....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
Total .....	5,468	1,576	7,044	4,862	523	5,385	10,330	2,099	12,429

BIRTHPLACES.

Birthplaces.	Drunkenness and Vagrancy.			Other Offences.			Total.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Australian Colonies .....	1,542	663	2,205	1,988	285	2,273	3,530	948	4,478
England and Wales.....	1,541	222	1,763	1,290	63	1,353	2,831	285	3,116
Ireland .....	1,356	578	1,934	768	133	901	2,124	711	2,835
Scotland .....	520	80	600	275	32	307	795	112	907
Other British Possessions	86	6	92	75	2	77	161	8	169
China.....	12	.....	12	62	.....	62	74	.....	74
Other Countries .....	411	27	438	404	8	412	815	35	850
Total .....	5,468	1,576	7,044	4,862	523	5,385	10,330	2,099	12,429

No. 69.—Persons Committed to Gaol, and the number with previous Convictions recorded against them, during each year, for the period 1876–85.

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Year.	Total Offenders.			Committed for the first offence.			Committed for second offence.			Committed for third offence.			Committed for fourth offence.			Total number Committed for more than one offence.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1876	6,862	3,330	10,192	5,055	2,619	7,674	652	110	662	364	86	450	791	515	1,306	1,807	711	2,518
1877	7,047	3,831	10,878	5,007	2,971	7,978	667	207	874	381	87	468	993	566	1,559	2,040	860	2,900
1878	7,641	4,106	11,747	5,483	3,148	8,631	869	263	1,132	417	101	518	872	594	1,466	2,158	958	3,116
1879	9,151	4,087	13,238	7,093	3,054	10,147	807	269	1,076	426	120	546	825	644	1,469	2,058	1,033	3,091
1880	9,544	4,035	13,579	7,597	3,208	10,805	940	220	1,160	400	117	517	607	490	1,097	1,947	827	2,774
1881	11,266	4,532	15,798	9,115	3,624	12,739	1,061	269	1,330	413	133	546	677	506	1,183	2,151	908	3,059
1882	10,326	3,918	14,244	8,224	3,044	11,268	998	262	1,262	448	146	594	646	462	1,108	2,102	874	2,976
1883	11,309	4,096	15,405	9,014	3,242	12,256	1,088	220	1,308	479	188	667	728	446	1,174	2,295	854	3,149
1884	12,836	4,161	16,997	10,096	3,225	13,321	1,295	286	1,581	606	174	780	839	476	1,315	2,740	936	3,676
1885	13,045	4,324	17,369	10,335	3,326	13,661	1,306	276	1,582	542	163	705	862	559	1,421	2,710	998	3,708

No. 70.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners in Gaols.

Year.	Number of Prisoners received under Sentence.		Solitary Confinement.		Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
1876	6,862	3,330	392	106	346	107	738	213
1877	7,047	3,831	468	33	301	94	769	127
1878	7,641	4,106	640	128	167	25	807	153
1879	9,151	4,087	909	152	246	38	1,155	190
1880	9,544	4,035	997	213	194	69	1,191	282
1881	11,266	4,532	1,058	167	317	15	1,375	182
1882	10,326	3,918	1,036	97	300	19	1,336	116
1883	11,309	4,096	1,091	158	239	29	1,330	187
1884	12,836	4,161	1,295	178	399	37	1,694	215
1885	13,045	4,324	1,249	186	360	39	1,609	225

No. 71.—Debtors in Confinement in each year, from 1876 to 1885.

Year.	Number of Debtors in Confinement.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	
1876	31	1	32
1877	42	...	42
1878	49	2	51
1879	46	2	48
1880	46	1	47
1881	52	...	52
1882	44	1	45
1883	27	1	28
1884	61	3	64
1885	50	2	52

No. 72.—Persons in Confinement on 31st December, 1885.

In Confinement for—	Tried.			Awaiting Trial.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Felony .....	1,047	33	1,080	85	4	89
Petty larceny .....	307	47	354	8	.....	8
Assaults .....	162	10	172	14	.....	14
Other offences.....	568	238	806	31	5	36
Total .....	2,084	328	2,412	138	9	147

Total in Confinement..... 2,559.

No. 73.—Number of Persons in Confinement on the 31st December in each year, from 1876 to 1885.

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Year.	Total Persons in Confinement.	Male.	Female.	Number Tried and Sentenced for—								Number awaiting Trial for—							
				Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.		Felony.		Petty Larceny.		Assaults.		Other Offences.	
				Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
1876	1,490	1,267	223	708	34	160	21	78	4	208	144	75	11	17	1	1	2	20	6
1877	1,521	1,293	228	798	57	81	16	32	3	226	133	100	11	25	5	5	...	26	3
1878	1,781	1,512	269	855	51	127	22	50	4	286	174	119	8	39	3	6	...	30	7
1879	1,951	1,641	310	911	42	176	29	70	21	308	199	111	14	24	...	12	...	29	5
1880	2,121	1,759	362	950	34	189	31	106	8	365	276	99	8	11	...	6	...	33	5
1881	2,075	1,753	322	825	18	201	15	78	5	508	271	83	3	18	2	6	1	35	7
1882	1,935	1,646	289	844	25	168	18	89	3	396	228	97	9	14	1	11	...	27	5
1883	2,168	1,826	342	802	47	263	26	138	15	481	242	82	6	17	1	10	1	33	4
1884	2,464	2,115	349	949	33	295	29	140	6	582	269	68	3	24	1	12	1	45	7
1885	2,559	2,222	337	1,047	33	307	47	162	10	568	238	85	4	8	...	14	...	31	5

# No. 74.—Civil Justice : Business of the Supreme and Circuit Courts, 1875-85.

Year.	Civil Jurisdiction.			Equity.				Testamentary.				Appellate Jurisdiction.	
	No. of Writs issued.	No. of Causes entered for Trial.	Total Amount for which Judgment signed.	Statements of Defence.	No. of Claims.	No. of Petitions.	No. of Decrees and Orders.	No. of Probates and Administrations—Will annexed.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Letters of Administration.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Cases from Insolvency Court.	No. of Cases from District Court.
			£						£		£		
1875	2,055	287	106,450	54	.....	27	163	482	1,286,879	426	169,969	3	4
1876	2,530	293	106,257	32	Nil	21	152	511	1,677,972	415	223,189	1	6
1877	2,887	286	127,204	37	Nil	48	102	530	1,336,599	471	291,391	1	5
1878	3,280	319	278,126	50	Nil	72	115	573	1,735,064	514	281,367	3	9
1879	3,806	292	436,355	48	Nil	65	153	579	2,116,906	472	269,991	3	8
1880	3,312	350	202,253	59	35	53	166	667	1,323,822	506	210,816	5	9
1881	2,845	331	a.....	55	87	33	93	671	2,011,305	526	307,818	3	15
1882	3,161	414	169,520	51	106	50	96	810	3,586,554	589	581,528	3	18
1883	3,830	377	a.....	81	153	41	210	862	3,528,602	613	588,029	2	15
1884	4,547	513	370,647	77	166	91	289	933	3,642,709	648	605,543	.....	14
1885	4,079	481	399,951	93	162	69	295	961	3,721,805	659	601,542	3	27

a No information.

## No. 75.—Business of the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Court, 1875-85.

Year.	Petitions for Dissolution of Marriage.	Petitions for Judicial Separation.	Petitions for Alimony.	Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage.	Cases Alimony granted in.	Orders to protect Wife's Earnings.	Orders to proceed in <i>forma Pauperis</i> .	Petition for Restitution of Conjugal Rights
1875	19	.....	1	9	.....	.....	2	.....
1876	22	1	2	19	.....	.....	3	.....
1877	18	.....	3	19	3	.....	2	.....
1878	17	.....	2	11	3	.....	1	1
1879	19	1	3	10	3	.....	1	1
1880	31	.....	1	22	1	63	.....	1
1881	23	.....	.....	15	2	.....	1	.....
1882	23	.....	2	19	2	.....	4	.....
1883	38	1	6	14	5	a.....	4	.....
1884	30	8	6	27	5	a.....	3	.....
1885	38	5	6	23	3	a.....	2	1

a No information.

## No. 76.—Number of Civil Cases Tried in the Supreme and Circuit Courts during the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Before Juries of Twelve.	Before Juries of Four.		Total.
		Defended Cases.	Undefended or Settled Cases.	
1876	.....	208	85	293
1877	4	184	98	286
1878	3	196	120	319
1879	1	178	113	292
1880	3	199	148	350
1881	1	172	158	331
1882	11	239	164	414
1883	3	222	152	377
1884	1	270	222	493
1885	8	247	239	494

No. 77.—Number of Suits commenced in the several District Courts of the Colony, during the twelve months preceding the 1st March, 1886.

District.	The Number of Suits.		Settled.		The Number of Cases.			Results of the Trials.		The Costs of the Suits.	The Number and Result of Appeals.			The Number of Cases left in Arrear.	The Number of—	
	Com- menced.	Total Amount sued for.	Without hearing.	By Ar- bitration.	Tried.	Tried.		For Plain- tiff.	For Defen- dants.		Ap- peals.	Judg- ments or Or- ders af- firmed.	Re- versed		Motions for New Trials.	New Trials granted.
						By Jury.	With- out Jury.									
		£ s. d.								£						
Metropolitan and Hunter District.	6,294	140,802 17 11	1,531	...	2,669	22	2,647	2,414	255	9,366	12	1	...	2,094	20	7
Southern District .....	1,285	38,653 0 10	481	12	769	39	730	660	109	2,980	2	1	...	23	3	1
South-western District ...	605	20,505 17 5	319	1	275	13	262	228	47	1,376	1	...	...	10	...	...
Western District .....	599	19,540 1 2	250	2	333	16	317	282	51	1,289	...	...	...	14	...	...
Northern District .....	1,167	35,730 4 10	541	1	583	4	579	502	81	2,251	...	...	...	42	2	...
North-western District ...	517	23,099 18 11	202	1	274	7	267	210	64	1,460	2	...	2	40	2	...
General Total.....	10,467	278,332 1 1	3,324	17	4,903	101	4,802	4,296	607	18,722	17	2	2	2,223	27	8



No. 78.—Amount of Fees collected in the Department of the Prothonotary and the Master in Equity, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Curator of Intestate Estates— Commission and Fees on Estates of persons dying Intestate.	Divorce.	Prothonotary— Miscellaneous.	Master in Equity.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1876	412	69	2,627	696	3,804
1877	429	90	3,194	466	4,178
1878	448	74	3,728	573	4,824
1879	380	84	3,864	697	5,024
1880	816	146	3,971	737	5,670
1881	1,227	137	4,009	712	6,085
1882	1,154	100	5,604	1,037	7,895
1883	2,015	216	5,794	1,031	9,055
1884	1,422	210	6,141	1,592	9,366
1885	1,339	222	6,852	1,619	10,032

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### No. 79.—Imports and Exports of the Colony from and to each Country in the year 1885.

Country.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom .....	11,885,597	7,293,133	4,692,464	.....
Victoria .....	3,309,696	3,450,796	.....	141,100
Queensland .....	2,541,323	1,965,904	575,419	.....
South Australia .....	890,335	810,953	79,382	.....
New Zealand.....	899,623	369,055	530,568	.....
Tasmania .....	582,177	108,758	473,419	.....
Western Australia .....	10	22,311	.....	22,301
Hongkong .....	340,187	246,032	94,155	.....
Mauritius .....	29,562	18,423	11,139	.....
Ceylon .....	23,832	8,531	15,301	.....
Singapore .....	40,913	29,190	11,723	.....
Fiji.....	192,540	128,643	63,897	.....
British Columbia .....	62,847	.....	62,847	.....
India .....	117,208	122,066	.....	4,858
Other British Possessions .....	11,600	11,895	.....	295
 Total .....	 20,927,450	 14,585,690	 6,341,760	
 FOREIGN COUNTRIES.				
France .....	345,231	142,104	203,127	.....
Belgium.....	195,318	399,549	.....	204,231
Germany .....	372,557	29,511	343,046	.....
United States of America .....	1,008,572	985,531	23,041	.....
China.....	393,595	21,114	282,481	.....
Java .....	25,716	39,937	.....	14,221
New Caledonia.....	82,181	150,094	.....	70,913
South Sea Islands.....	36,929	68,854	.....	31,925
Phillipine Islands (Manilla) .....	3,334	31,476	.....	28,142
Chili .....	.....	39,556	.....	39,556
Sweden and Norway .....	54,905	.....	.....	.....
Other Countries .....	9,408	45,329	.....	35,921
 Total, Foreign Countries.....	 2,437,746	 1,956,055	 481,691	
 Total, Imports and Exports...	 23,365,196	 16,541,745	 6,823,451	

No. 80.—Value of Imports, the Produce or Manufacture of the United Kingdom, other British Possessions, and Foreign States.

Year.	Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of—			Total.	Year.	Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of—			Total.
	The United Kingdom.	Other British Dominions.	Foreign States.			The United Kingdom.	Other British Dominions.	Foreign States.	
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
1876	5,763,533	6,957,463	951,780	13,672,776	1881	8,986,838	6,633,107	1,789,381	17,409,326
1877	6,471,780	6,903,952	1,230,862	14,606,594	1882	11,155,917	7,924,479	2,200,734	21,281,130
1878	6,658,628	6,700,484	1,409,761	14,768,873	1883	10,624,081	8,196,287	2,139,789	20,960,157
1879	6,749,519	5,978,451	1,470,877	14,198,847	1884	11,423,047	9,185,276	2,218,662	22,826,985
1880	6,536,661	6,259,134	1,154,280	13,950,075	1885	11,885,597	9,041,853	2,437,746	23,365,196

No. 81.—Value of the Exports of the Colony, distinguishing Home Produce or Manufacture, and Articles the Produce or Manufacture of other Countries, for the years 1876-85.

Year.	Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of New South Wales.			Articles, the Produce or Manufacture of other Countries.			Total.		General Total.
	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876	6,753,485	3,938,468	6,753,485	2,292,476	19,512	2,311,988	9,045,961	3,957,980	13,003,941
1877	7,629,476	3,075,282	7,629,476	2,353,563	67,498	2,421,061	9,983,039	3,142,780	13,125,819
1878	7,099,099	3,617,412	10,716,511	2,189,658	59,710	2,249,368	9,288,757	3,677,122	12,965,879
1879	6,704,733	4,070,911	10,775,644	2,278,151	33,024	2,311,175	8,982,884	4,103,935	13,086,819
1880	8,116,784	4,562,998	12,679,782	2,797,476	47,880	2,845,356	10,914,260	4,610,878	15,525,138
1881	9,191,890	3,703,603	12,895,493	3,093,454	60,556	3,154,010	12,285,344	3,764,159	16,049,503
1882	9,251,459	3,957,000	13,208,459	3,430,251	78,251	3,508,502	12,681,710	4,035,251	16,716,961
1883	12,293,417	3,836,450	16,129,867	3,661,223	94,928	3,756,151	15,954,640	3,931,378	19,886,018
1884	10,224,777	4,370,959	14,595,736	3,521,743	134,027	3,655,770	13,740,520	4,504,986	18,251,506
1885	9,926,114	3,031,767	12,957,881	3,418,920	164,944	3,583,864	13,345,934	3,190,711	16,541,745

# No. 82.—Classification of the Imports and Exports of the Colony, for the five years ending 1885.

Year.	Food, not including Intoxicating Drink.	Coal.	Live Stock	Clothing and Textile Fabrics.	Minerals and Metals, not including Coal and Bullion.	Wines, Spirits, and Intoxicating Drink.	Coin and Bullion.	Other Manufactured Articles.	Raw Material for Manufacture including wool.	Animal and Vegetable Products.	Un-classified.	Total.
TOTAL IMPORTS.												
1881 .....	£ 2,842,417	£ .....	£ 301,509	£ 3,730,260	£ 1,980,247	£ 842,001	£ 37,683	£ 5,837,593	£ 1,024,490	£ 607,693	£ 204,833	£ 17,409,326
1882 .....	3,656,424	.....	305,524	4,444,277	1,927,426	908,818	213,880	7,263,638	1,413,532	872,206	275,405	21,281,130
1883 .....	3,141,388	.....	427,943	4,213,807	1,678,607	972,880	491,487	7,249,754	1,725,893	797,813	260,585	20,960,157
1884 .....	3,861,455	.....	810,627	4,095,750	2,140,991	1,058,486	359,924	7,832,469	1,509,355	970,662	227,266	22,826,985
1885 .....	3,422,547	11,780	1,155,565	4,357,219	1,860,501	1,088,434	436,227	8,197,423	1,699,746	842,277	293,477	23,365,196
Total for five years .....	£ 16,924,231	11,780	3,001,168	20,801,313	9,587,772	4,871,219	1,539,201	36,380,887	7,373,016	4,090,651	1,261,566	105,842,794
NET IMPORTS (HOME CONSUMPTION).												
1881 .....	£ 2,411,662	£ .....	£ 298,889	£ 3,284,601	£ 1,469,045	£ 694,891	£ 27,169	£ 4,951,451	£ 535,751	£ 405,559	£ 176,298	£ 14,255,316
1882 .....	3,121,984	.....	293,695	3,965,700	1,416,796	737,140	160,126	6,196,930	934,138	700,491	245,628	17,772,628
1883 .....	2,576,065	.....	409,468	3,756,344	1,243,143	827,418	474,040	6,042,526	1,014,900	620,325	239,777	17,204,006
1884 .....	3,363,290	.....	766,098	3,580,972	1,645,571	935,676	344,297	6,608,321	971,529	765,448	185,013	19,171,215
1885 .....	2,875,425	11,780	1,069,540	3,899,436	1,396,191	957,132	417,972	7,130,961	1,174,476	623,670	254,785	19,811,368
Total for five years .....	£ 14,353,426	11,780	2,837,690	18,487,053	7,170,746	4,152,257	1,423,604	30,930,189	4,630,794	3,115,493	1,101,501	88,214,533
EXPORTS OF BRITISH OR FOREIGN PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
1881 .....	430,755	.....	2,620	445,659	511,202	147,710	10,514	886,142	483,739	202,134	28,535	3,154,010
1882 .....	534,440	.....	11,829	478,577	510,630	171,673	53,754	1,066,708	479,394	171,715	29,777	3,508,502
1883 .....	565,323	.....	18,475	457,463	435,464	145,462	17,447	1,207,223	710,993	177,488	20,808	3,756,151
1884 .....	493,165	.....	44,529	474,778	495,420	122,810	15,627	1,224,148	537,826	205,214	42,253	3,655,770
1885 .....	547,122	.....	86,025	457,783	464,310	131,302	18,255	1,096,498	525,270	218,607	38,692	3,583,864
Total for five years .....	£ 2,570,805	.....	163,478	2,314,260	2,417,026	718,962	115,597	5,480,724	2,742,222	975,158	160,065	17,658,297
EXPORTS OF HOME PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.												
1881 .....	525,062	423,605	775,827	5,863	1,442,379	15,864	1,632,923	254,729	7,174,739	631,676	12,821	12,895,493
1882 .....	442,393	652,524	744,714	12,964	1,416,461	19,453	1,530,147	284,904	7,476,230	619,559	9,110	13,208,459
1883 .....	561,101	837,344	786,295	6,658	1,610,127	21,830	1,559,673	208,880	9,668,445	853,762	15,747	16,129,867
1884 .....	401,349	937,522	1,193,136	5,342	1,202,400	25,364	858,293	275,880	9,047,224	337,621	11,605	14,595,736
1885 .....	341,163	969,241	972,972	4,491	1,091,002	19,197	1,371,684	231,249	7,302,991	640,458	13,433	12,957,881
Total for five years .....	£ 2,271,068	3,820,236	4,472,944	35,318	6,762,369	101,708	6,952,730	1,255,642	40,669,629	3,383,076	62,716	69,787,436



## No. 83.—Total Value of Imports for the ten years 1876–85, distinguishing Countries whence Imported.

	From Great Britain.	From British Colonies.							From South Sea Islands.	From United States of America.	From Foreign States.	Total value of Imports.
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Other British Possessions.	Total from British Possessions.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876	5,763,533	2,386,777	1,165,706	207,075	258,441	1,989,589	949,875	6,957,463	37,208	277,540	637,032	13,672,776
1877	6,471,780	2,531,449	811,292	374,393	223,482	2,229,957	733,379	6,903,952	25,855	481,565	723,442	14,606,594
1878	6,658,628	2,897,503	889,691	286,343	245,907	1,813,762	567,278	6,700,484	58,127	622,261	729,373	14,768,873
1879	6,749,519	2,234,381	721,186	188,064	285,083	1,901,115	648,622	5,978,451	43,373	546,630	880,874	14,198,847
1880	6,536,661	2,187,119	690,407	383,106	460,735	1,998,433	539,334	6,259,134	42,789	387,056	724,435	13,950,975
1881	8,986,838	2,414,590	692,781	481,529	471,911	1,991,419	580,877	6,633,107	44,498	587,865	1,157,018	17,409,326
1882	11,155,917	2,770,245	1,017,685	614,923	737,204	1,962,997	821,425	7,924,479	49,185	886,171	1,265,378	21,281,130
1883	10,624,081	3,012,262	841,109	666,399	583,056	2,388,874	704,581	8,196,287	39,347	922,574	1,177,868	20,960,157
1884	11,423,047	3,064,816	1,002,174	575,501	881,530	2,649,247	1,012,008	9,185,276	41,537	954,665	1,222,460	22,826,985
1885	11,985,597	3,309,696	890,335	582,177	899,623	2,541,323	818,699	9,041,853	36,929	1,008,572	1,392,245	23,465,196

## No. 84.—Total Value of Exports for the ten years 1876–85, distinguishing the Countries to which Exported.

Year.	To Great Britain.	To British Colonies.							To South Sea Islands.	To United States of America.	To Foreign States.	Total value of Exports.
		Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	Queensland.	Other British Possessions.	Total to British Possessions.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876	5,918,187	4,043,666	670,138	53,484	480,241	1,121,820	267,669	6,637,018	45,145	148,116	255,475	13,003,941
1877	6,018,926	3,898,129	352,825	57,168	489,856	1,498,128	352,458	6,648,564	48,059	108,273	301,997	13,125,819
1878	5,516,437	3,694,434	1,053,642	75,453	588,419	1,221,621	332,176	6,965,745	52,166	128,805	302,726	12,965,879
1879	5,148,609	4,177,871	773,611	82,842	639,051	1,399,657	306,351	7,379,383	44,521	211,206	303,100	13,086,819
1880	7,525,637	4,578,867	830,256	81,484	525,174	1,204,598	306,034	7,527,013	52,657	172,648	247,183	15,525,138
1881	7,561,114	4,052,694	454,764	83,949	427,295	1,701,623	469,219	7,189,544	59,001	866,962	372,882	16,049,593
1882	7,309,691	3,781,421	1,085,194	85,673	454,853	2,052,388	740,867	8,200,396	53,718	676,598	476,558	16,716,901
1883	9,884,207	4,170,599	969,083	120,662	358,627	1,937,832	853,108	8,409,911	84,328	872,983	634,589	19,886,018
1884	7,683,880	4,170,497	1,502,366	117,872	506,714	2,061,301	853,236	9,211,986	80,611	366,732	908,297	18,251,506
1885	7,293,133	3,450,796	810,953	108,758	369,055	1,965,904	857,091	7,292,557	68,854	985,531	901,670	16,541,745

No. 85.—Value of Principal Articles Imported for Home Consumption, 1880-85.

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural Implements .....	27,808	39,829	65,303	105,462	77,031	56,946
Apparel—Wearing .....	253,258	305,222	336,064	307,625	807,799	909,942
Beer .....	153,469	153,125	208,875	262,137	296,926	336,414
Butter .....	6,922	29,739	82,560	81,224	137,370	99,370
Candles .....	23,169	71,162	119,946	64,164	162,273	148,643
Cement .....	39,338	116,058	119,946	112,057	211,487	208,756
Coin .....	68,129	27,169	160,126	474,040	344,297	417,972
Copper Ore <i>a</i> .....	142,061	84,968	194,929	104,084	238,215	198,988
Drapery .....	2,201,566	2,985,582	3,037,536	3,455,421	2,780,602	2,994,069
Drugs and Medicines.....	98,088	170,193	117,089	193,814	246,467	296,621
Earthenware and Glassware.....	96,062	128,373	168,035	166,194	204,024	239,714
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	45,973	110,611	131,224	145,676	147,807	85,585
Flour .....	343,587	190,920	443,605	311,461	395,230	448,531
Fruit .....	120,157	190,122	186,644	205,105	202,163	245,601
Furniture .....	60,984	125,332	189,128	216,895	179,320	189,408
Glass .....	31,643	46,245	62,830	46,142	81,503	62,999
Gold .....	1,113,394	1,165,535	978,712	754,304	1,309,862	1,106,071
Grain and Pulse.....	154,657	126,041	387,714	196,467	401,501	347,046
Hardware .....	287,075	446,889	615,019	654,426	584,010	531,794
Hay .....	58,667	65,316	151,491	120,851	163,928	92,128
Hops .....	42,300	47,495	62,296	106,833	36,344	36,238
Instruments—Musical .....	62,012	102,818	141,397	144,633	152,942	132,560
Iron and Steel.....	504,322	518,217	939,679	773,761	835,213	1,118,402
Jams and Jellies.....	60,564	80,015	122,046	100,450	94,901	79,133
Jewellery.....	31,470	83,835	127,399	143,203	135,732	132,168
Leather—Manufactured .....	306,155	358,370	510,647	469,242	451,824	540,916
"    Unmanufactured <i>b</i> .....	36,522	55,995	65,699	59,518	68,320	64,742
Liquors—Fermented & Spirituous	364,134	462,141	462,771	440,156	629,358	481,851
Live Stock .....	141,989	298,889	293,490	409,468	766,098	1,669,540
Machinery .....	136,994	218,942	313,845	413,655	460,566	408,621
Machines—Sewing.....	40,316	63,409	74,917	61,580	54,669	27,863
Malt .....	107,379	94,720	126,809	117,942	143,537	141,008
Oil .....	123,569	139,481	135,996	138,632	192,551	167,141
Opium .....	66,933	44,412	56,006	67,179	41,497	39,014
Paint .....	45,704	59,806	75,236	54,289	83,396	75,816
Potatoes .....	91,256	96,626	190,980	152,261	213,400	197,170
Powder .....	51,143	61,773	87,169	90,442	109,840	94,953
Provisions .....	62,219	79,991	102,360	86,459	247,534	261,507
Railway Plant.....	246,128	296,823	361,603	283,016	404,994	527,204
Rice .....	54,338	93,036	75,146	47,112	97,435	61,417
Silver Plate and Plated Ware ...	35,449	66,571	85,886	75,615	70,163	73,041
Saddlery and Harness .....	48,994	56,616	75,315	83,340	65,434	53,009
Skins .....	81,319	102,560	104,726	131,061	132,616	141,653
Stationery, Books, &c. ....	393,668	422,822	456,178	400,720	496,876	534,630
Sugar .....	504,823	668,903	839,081	745,399	854,079	498,584
Tallow .....	101,739	89,052	84,366	89,328	49,501	40,501
Tea .....	398,764	500,562	410,293	277,782	495,145	495,154
Timber.....	173,045	205,715	417,693	395,156	385,724	460,414
Tin Ore <i>c</i> .....	106,509	119,152	213,745	250,152	195,148	98,905
Tin Plates and Ware .....	39,844	85,749	47,533	40,595	53,464	69,259
Tobacco .....	38,983	101,857	117,389	131,101	111,712	110,263
Toys and Fancy Goods .....	30,615	63,012	83,016	125,278	117,690	115,378
Upholstery .....	11,723	22,171	24,283	18,550	81,387	91,462
Watches and Clocks .....	56,090	60,459	82,134	108,926	104,391	96,950
Wine .....	34,575	77,296	71,535	122,075	106,186	116,463

*a* Refined, and afterwards re-exported.

*b* Boots and Shoes.

*c* Exported in ingots.

No. 86.—Value of Principal Articles of Home Produce or Manufacture  
Exported during the years 1880–85:

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Apparel and Drapery.....	183	5,863	12,964	6,658	5,342	4,491
Coal .....	425,299	417,530	647,033	829,662	931,045	966,663
Coin .....	829,515	1,632,928	1,530,147	1,559,678	858,293	1,371,684
Copper.....	364,059	355,062	324,727	577,201	416,179	264,920
Flour .....	9,080	17,220	30,659	26,521	22,054	13,720
Fruit .....	90,381	106,185	88,198	117,224	98,339	114,501
Furniture.....	1,951	4,317	6,306	3,033	3,792	3,820
Gold.....	1,261	282,095	152,454	129,839	75,838	79,440
Grain and Pulse.....	109,565	127,407	64,117	60,762	65,303	80,143
Leather—Unmanufactured .....	102,437	134,895	142,473	98,224	124,548	103,026
„    Boots and Shoes .....	48,097	45,150	48,578	52,610	55,378	45,710
Liquors—Fermented & spirituous	14,907	8,570	12,285	7,400	14,548	11,041
Live Stock .....	979,442	775,827	744,714	786,295	1,196,136	972,972
Provisions .....	187,018	201,311	176,297	275,584	183,292	180,195
Silver and Silver Ore.....	21,878	13,026	9,024	18,113	142,954	266,813
Skins.....	183,100	208,021	263,856	295,603	290,736	273,089
Sugar .....	171,278	116,760	75,056	60,635	36,946	857
Tallow .....	350,587	267,177	236,271	358,914	197,707	195,821
Timber.....	19,348	23,816	41,714	67,149	101,944	55,061
Tin .....	471,437	724,003	833,461	824,552	521,587	415,626
Wine .....	7,359	7,233	7,166	14,430	10,816	8,156
Wool .....	8,040,625	7,149,787	7,433,091	9,598,761	8,953,100	7,246,642

No. 87.—Value of Principal Articles Imported, and then Exported, during the years 1880–85.

Articles.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural Implements .....	4,253	5,609	7,974	14,613	9,403	6,068
Apparel—Wearing.....	19,350	14,362	21,041	30,792	30,792	38,374
Beer .....	28,445	32,376	31,073	28,460	26,039	33,268
Butter .....	141	1,002	7,862	7,636	9,778	18,825
Candles .....	14,509	8,869	7,909	5,738	7,592	8,110
Coin .....	25,593	10,514	53,734	17,447	15,627	18,255
Copper—Raw and Ore .....	67,668	92,025	52,747	70,006	185,353	104,695
Drapery .....	400,885	425,094	449,636	419,969	436,557	414,834
Drugs and Medicines .....	26,619	20,663	23,356	26,656	31,103	36,562
Earthenware and Glassware.....	32,605	36,904	41,747	35,422	41,429	39,046
Fish—Salt, Dried, and Preserved	25,799	33,363	25,935	35,984	36,635	33,324
Flour .....	48,442	197,531	199,946	167,023	154,426	75,784
Fruit .....	15,141	20,434	23,275	25,767	19,518	28,684
Furniture .....	17,716	20,120	35,342	30,631	41,490	42,029
Gold.....	7,600	32,983	190	.....	.....	892
Grain and Pulse.....	12,904	10,221	24,964	22,591	48,211	34,105
Hardware .....	85,686	96,070	122,821	139,196	132,882	117,338
Hay .....	33	1,705	2,298	2,250	17,480	9,918
Hops .....	3,579	4,498	14,559	16,277	14,391	5,705
Instruments—Musical .....	10,752	15,424	22,452	23,314	26,352	32,293
Iron and Steel, including Wire and Galvanized Iron .....	74,145	92,862	132,979	162,927	119,518	100,074
Jewellery .....	44,659	37,541	38,821	40,521	42,891	36,962
Leather—Manufactured a .....	69,026	81,039	125,149	102,160	129,996	108,941
" Unmanufactured .....	6,548	10,803	12,498	13,236	6,223	13,709
Liquors—Fermented & Spirituous	84,876	88,403	97,812	92,115	76,830	76,885
Live Stock .....	6,213	2,620	11,834	18,475	44,529	86,025
Machinery .....	27,229	60,530	74,916	96,105	116,871	76,650
Machines—Sewing .....	11,429	23,711	21,218	15,152	9,590	15,116
Nickel—Metal and Ore.....	38,150	131,830	158,818	71,900	45,470	24,230
Oil .....	23,472	27,144	25,934	32,335	44,119	42,122
Opium .....	15,858	13,773	13,168	12,749	13,466	8,013
Paint .....	4,685	5,286	9,546	8,401	9,835	7,512
Potatoes .....	11,250	14,034	22,598	17,739	28,022	25,103
Provisions and Vegetables.....	50,360	13,788	68,253	186,899	37,158	154,699
Rice .....	26,488	19,671	26,288	31,076	28,723	30,749
Silver Plate and Platedware .....	8,857	7,141	10,644	17,960	14,456	17,026
Saddlery and Harness .....	4,703	5,497	7,316	9,946	10,689	8,853
Skins .....	9,990	10,991	4,470	27,452	8,675	25,693
Stationery, Books, &c. ....	76,409	80,513	95,531	109,331	113,577	97,633
Sugar .....	57,760	20,705	26,887	22,696	33,322	39,176
Tallow .....	46,329	45,282	20,789	56,611	6,555	52,170
Tea .....	80,916	44,946	54,567	67,456	48,399	52,885
Tin—Ingots and Ore.....	232,403	256,937	261,999	257,666	241,809	306,572
" Plates and Ware .....	7,444	10,347	16,398	11,102	5,676	7,329
Tobacco .....	44,685	48,834	53,868	53,151	56,083	74,379
Toys and Fancy Goods .....	67,067	63,450	74,896	84,324	77,345	71,517
Watches and Clocks .....	6,115	6,401	7,209	11,977	24,628	17,919
Wine .....	40,098	25,535	31,686	24,198	19,063	20,449
Wool .....	396,909	381,005	340,613	537,483	429,399	431,605

a Boots and shoes.

**No. 88.—Value of Imports received Overland from 1876–85, distinguishing Colonies whence Imported.**

Year.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
1876	1,246,880	417,421	7,593	1,671,894
1877	1,360,171	253,838	11,623	1,625,632
1878	1,357,715	387,205	9,919	1,754,839
1879	933,999	289,304	7,139	1,230,442
1880	903,920	243,374	5,173	1,212,167
1881	1,210,931	235,769	84,262	1,530,962
1882	1,217,120	412,563	95,957	1,725,640
1883	1,266,330	404,322	87,159	1,757,811
1884	1,331,908	360,965	159,749	1,852,622
1885	1,555,139	386,252	297,474	2,238,865

**No. 89.—Value of Exports Overland from 1876–85, distinguishing the Colonies to which Exported.**

Year.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Queensland.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
1876	3,294,795	577,967	85,218	3,957,980
1877	2,869,945	210,414	62,421	3,142,780
1878	2,661,639	954,754	60,729	3,677,122
1879	3,394,764	636,171	73,000	4,103,935
1880	3,824,310	698,581	87,987	4,610,878
1881	3,229,664	298,004	236,491	3,764,159
1882	2,867,810	921,427	246,014	4,035,251
1883	2,955,808	782,552	193,018	3,931,378
1884	3,118,389	1,287,441	99,156	4,504,986
1885	2,450,444	617,606	128,661	3,196,711

**No. 90.—Number and Value of Live Stock Imported during the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Description of Stock.								Total. <sup>a</sup>	
	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Goats and Pigs.		Number.	Value.
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£		£
1876	668	20,759	5,920	46,984	55,827	57,469	11	63	62,426	134,275
1877	1,563	28,951	3,563	15,419	330,062	162,627	36	226	335,224	207,223
1878	792	29,922	5,453	57,279	495,868	254,143	110	457	502,223	341,801
1879	1,522	28,326	7,203	48,684	160,123	97,016	895	1,071	169,743	175,097
1880	1,034	26,862	3,253	14,535	81,742	105,352	318	584	86,347	147,333
1881	1,885	40,071	9,602	63,539	198,329	196,411	280	332	210,096	300,353
1882	2,023	63,099	5,530	49,979	207,538	190,180	975	966	216,066	304,224
1883	3,067	84,649	3,460	39,319	205,558	302,249	292	335	212,377	426,552
1884	4,453	114,260	36,186	315,110	404,371	378,336	758	1,141	445,768	808,847
1885	6,708	168,495	36,602	195,602	1,134,439	788,337	974	1,598	1,178,723	1,154,032

<sup>a</sup> Dogs and Poultry not included

No. 91.—Number and Value of Live Stock Exported, the Produce of the Colony, during the ten years, 1876–85; also, the Value of other Live Stock Exported during the same years.

Year.	Description of Stock.								Total. <i>a</i>	
	Horses.		Horned Cattle.		Sheep.		Goats and Pigs.		Number.	Value.
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1876.	5,807	70,543	69,889	538,196	1,084,176	526,254	3,698	6,091	1,163,570	1,141,084
1877	5,147	84,339	62,875	427,294	751,412	380,489	1,217	2,011	820,651	894,133
1878	3,679	66,441	51,155	395,220	578,457	272,060	903	1,258	634,194	734,979
1879	2,236	33,449	58,050	405,051	978,537	466,582	6,042	10,806	1,044,865	915,888
1880	3,952	61,191	86,127	450,344	1,147,552	452,756	11,315	14,763	1,248,946	979,054
1881	3,498	56,868	55,540	256,929	1,068,362	452,867	5,652	8,415	1,133,052	775,079
1882	2,917	65,018	52,137	282,044	856,190	389,851	3,186	6,767	914,430	743,680
1883	2,757	61,773	41,388	236,597	1,005,984	484,194	1,167	2,693	1,051,296	785,257
1884	4,972	128,998	40,074	209,252	1,942,204	850,522	1,610	3,530	1,988,860	1,192,302
1885	4,709	142,421	52,999	293,129	1,237,155	534,760	764	1,414	1,295,627	971,724

*a* Dogs and poultry not included.

Total Value of Live Stock, not the Produce of the Colony, Exported.

Year.	Total Value.	Year.	Total Value. <i>a</i>
	£		£
1876	19,628	1881	2,620
1877	39,651	1882	11,812
1878	27,122	1883	18,470
1879	1,840	1884	44,509
1880	6,188	1885	86,025

*a* Dogs and poultry not included.

No. 92.—Weight and Value of Wool Exported.

Year.	Home Produce.		Other Wool.		Total.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£
1876	100,736,330	5,565,173	7,868,421	489,435	108,604,771	6,054,608
1877	102,150,246	5,256,038	5,746,895	370,564	107,897,141	5,626,602
1878	111,833,017	5,723,316	4,172,913	236,890	116,005,930	5,960,206
1879	123,710,450	6,491,198	5,413,123	278,096	129,123,573	6,769,294
1880	154,871,832	8,040,625	7,614,490	369,909	162,486,322	8,410,534
1881	139,601,506	7,149,787	7,582,181	381,005	147,183,687	7,530,792
1882	146,221,182	7,433,091	7,130,162	340,613	153,351,344	7,773,704
1883	188,161,710	9,598,761	8,878,422	537,483	197,040,132	10,136,244
1884	173,986,303	8,953,100	9,030,215	429,399	183,016,518	9,382,499
1885	168,151,659	7,246,642	10,221,266	431,605	178,372,925	7,678,247

No. 93.—Vessels Inwards : Vessels entered at each Port in New South Wales, in the year 1885, from Places beyond the Colony.

Port.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Sydney .....	1,666	1,411,431	56,014	170	196,738	8,442	1,836	1,608,169	64,456
Newcastle .....	568	379,528	10,819	101	73,418	1,313	669	452,946	12,132
Grafton .....	6	1,420	49	.....	.....	.....	6	1,420	49
Tweed River.....	48	4,320	432	.....	.....	.....	48	4,320	432
Port Macquarie .....	4	328	22	.....	.....	.....	4	328	22
Eden .....	20	14,674	548	.....	.....	.....	20	14,674	548
Wollongong .....	18	6,450	282	.....	.....	.....	18	6,450	282
Total entered .....	2,330	1,818,151	68,166	271	270,156	9,765	2,601	2,088,307	77,921

No. 94.—Number and Tonnage of Vessels entered Inwards for the ten years 1876-85, with Countries of Departure.

Year.	From Great Britain.		From British Colonies.														From South Sea Islands.		From United States of America.		From Foreign States.		Total.	
			Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.		Queensland.		Other British Possessions.									
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
1876	120	128,523	811	394,545	228	84,612	105	32,944	397	166,462	1	89	404	134,667	79	42,234	41	10,171	27	41,781	100	38,397	2,313	1,074,425
1877	151	170,349	891	443,076	168	70,116	118	31,736	361	150,194	.....	428	139,198	37	20,984	43	13,130	35	43,701	129	54,723	2,361	1,136,206	
1878	145	173,708	903	486,985	179	88,219	135	37,104	436	176,334	.....	407	142,327	55	38,167	31	9,349	46	58,479	122	56,702	2,469	1,267,374	
1879	143	183,590	843	466,983	182	80,657	110	35,109	428	180,867	.....	385	141,568	60	41,829	43	8,039	43	52,366	148	77,369	2,391	1,268,377	
1880	148	211,372	743	460,851	171	85,702	124	45,274	289	123,344	1	181	376	144,623	67	46,238	40	6,894	31	41,673	118	76,306	2,108	1,242,458
1881	207	299,220	794	530,278	169	102,966	128	43,762	269	110,928	.....	370	151,224	56	49,406	65	18,911	36	49,364	160	100,180	2,254	1,456,239	
1882	257	374,299	731	561,660	201	124,081	161	65,243	114	131,380	1	277	438	187,497	87	71,025	33	5,467	61	68,334	153	97,357	2,437	1,686,620
1883	240	370,877	803	654,675	179	131,659	164	68,299	284	141,640	.....	574	261,911	95	81,757	26	4,029	63	68,608	159	151,734	2,587	1,935,189	
1884	258	409,630	750	646,596	205	153,930	169	85,815	384	196,027	4	2,449	735	382,415	153	144,609	30	7,678	85	90,246	162	165,122	2,935	2,284,517
1885	259	432,144	707	585,004	168	126,668	139	82,932	313	172,018	4	1,965	607	306,211	118	108,890	37	6,844	92	91,608	157	174,023	2,601	2,088,307

No. 95.—Vessels, Inwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of all Vessels of each Nationality, entered at Ports in the Colony in the year 1885.

Nationality.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
British .....	463	637,147	22,796	121	129,145	3,205	584	766,292	26,001
British Possessions..	1,430	896,725	37,271	316	155,134	4,894	1,746	1,051,859	42,165
American .....	73	66,914	1,518	31	25,283	420	104	92,197	1,938
German .....	37	34,232	723	15	13,596	229	52	47,828	952
French .....	50	88,277	6,062	7	2,889	71	57	91,166	6,133
Norwegian.....	24	13,994	279	13	11,063	186	37	25,057	465
Swedish .....	5	2,088	48	6	2,820	63	11	4,908	111
Dutch .....	...	.....	...	1	729	16	1	729	16
Italian .....	2	1,655	29	...	.....	...	2	1,655	29
Russian .....	...	.....	...	1	871	15	1	871	15
Austrian .....	...	.....	...	1	1,098	16	1	1,098	16
Belgian .....	1	1,022	18	...	.....	...	1	1,022	18
Bolivian .....	...	.....	...	1	441	12	1	441	12
Chilian .....	1	887	13	2	2,297	37	3	3,184	50
	2,086	1,742,941	68,757	515	345,366	9,164	2,601	2,088,307	77,921

No. 96.—Vessels, Inwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Sailing Vessels of each Nationality, entered at Ports in the Colony in the year 1885.

Nationality.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
British .....	225	254,511	5,137	86	85,174	1,593	311	339,685	6,730
British Possessions..	398	125,362	3,546	173	53,216	1,475	571	178,578	5,021
American .....	67	55,199	930	31	25,283	420	98	80,482	1,350
German .....	25	15,842	310	14	12,984	206	39	28,826	516
French .....	10	5,331	127	7	2,889	71	17	8,220	198
Norwegian.....	24	13,994	279	13	11,063	186	37	25,057	465
Swedish .....	5	2,088	48	6	2,820	63	11	4,908	111
Dutch .....	...	.....	...	1	729	16	1	729	16
Italian .....	2	1,655	29	...	.....	...	2	1,655	29
Russian .....	...	.....	...	1	871	15	1	871	15
Austrian .....	...	.....	...	1	1,098	16	1	1,098	16
Belgian .....	1	1,022	18	...	.....	...	1	1,022	18
Bolivian .....	...	.....	...	1	441	12	1	441	12
Chilian .....	1	887	13	2	2,297	37	3	3,184	50
Total Sailing } Vessels. }	758	475,891	10,437	336	198,865	4,110	1,094	674,756	14,547



**No. 97.—Vessels, Inwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Steamships of each Nationality, entered at Ports in the Colony in the Year 1885.**

Nationality.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
British .....	238	382,636	17,659	35	43,971	1,612	273	426,607	19,271
British Possessions..	1,932	771,363	33,725	143	101,918	3,419	1,175	873,281	37,144
American .....	6	11,715	588	...	.....	...	6	11,175	588
German .....	12	18,390	413	1	612	23	13	19,002	436
French .....	40	82,946	5,935	...	.....	...	40	82,946	5,935
Total Steamships.	1,328	1,267,050	58,320	179	146,501	5,054	1,507	1,413,551	63,374

**No. 98.—Vessels, Outwards: Vessels cleared at each Port in New South Wales for Places beyond the Colony, during the year 1885.**

Port.	British.			Foreign.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Sydney .....	1,295	1,155,497	47,741	100	128,481	7,123	1,395	1,283,888	54,864
Newcastle .....	894	604,289	16,661	153	118,576	2,072	1,047	722,865	18,733
Grafton .....	18	3,684	144	1	282	8	19	3,966	152
Tweed River .....	48	4,320	432	...	.....	...	48	4,320	432
Port Macquarie ..	4	328	22	...	.....	...	4	328	22
Eden .....	20	14,674	548	...	.....	...	20	14,405	548
Wollongong .....	50	14,998	676	...	.....	...	50	14,998	676
Total cleared...	2,329	1,797,700	66,224	254	247,339	9,203	2,583	2,044,770	75,427

**No. 99.—Vessels, Outwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of all Vessels of each Nationality, cleared at Ports in the Colony during the year 1885.**

Nationality.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
British .....	545	721,425	24,099	26	32,374	628	571	753,799	24,727
British Possessions..	1,702	1,026,396	40,714	56	17,236	783	1,758	1,043,632	41,497
American .....	89	76,993	1,557	...	.....	...	89	76,993	1,557
German .....	47	43,453	881	1	437	10	48	43,890	891
French .....	55	86,065	6,016	1	282	9	56	86,347	6,025
Norwegian .....	35	23,625	427	4	3,052	50	39	26,677	477
Swedish .....	12	5,175	112	...	.....	...	12	5,175	112
Dutch .....	1	729	16	...	.....	...	1	729	16
Portuguese .....	1	44	5	...	.....	...	1	44	5
Russian .....	1	871	15	...	.....	...	1	871	15
Italian .....	2	1,655	24	...	.....	...	2	1,655	24
Chilian .....	2	2,297	36	...	.....	...	2	2,297	36
Hawaiian .....	1	1,122	18	...	.....	...	1	1,122	18
Bolivian .....	1	441	10	...	.....	...	1	441	10
Austrian .....	1	1,098	17	...	.....	...	1	1,098	17
Totals .....	2,495	1,991,389	73,947	88	53,381	1,480	2,583	2,044,770	75,427

No. 100.—Vessels, Outwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels cleared at all Ports of the Colony in the year 1885, with Destination.

Countries to which departed.	British.			Foreign.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Aden .....	1	2,343	71	...	.....	...	1	2,343	71
South Australia...	163	112,677	3,348	4	1,803	41	167	114,480	3,389
Western Australia	17	8,743	225	...	.....	...	17	8,743	225
British Burmah ..	8	10,145	178	2	1,752	29	10	11,897	207
Canada .....	1	799	18	...	.....	...	1	799	18
Columbia .....	1	1,476	23	...	.....	...	1	1,476	23
Ceylon .....	6	9,757	296	...	.....	...	6	9,757	296
Chili .....	41	36,412	706	20	15,319	282	61	51,731	988
China .....	14	12,073	302	3	1,460	35	17	13,533	337
Fiji .....	37	18,556	722	4	1,926	42	41	20,482	764
France .....	3	1,435	33	18	38,173	2,466	21	39,608	2,499
Guam .....	8	4,898	136	4	1,573	37	12	6,471	173
Great Britain ...	117	228,902	10,056	3	3,620	85	120	232,522	10,140
Germany .....	...	.....	.....	2	2,964	69	2	2,964	69
Hongkong ....	49	62,737	2,405	32	29,228	446	81	91,965	2,851
Honolulu .....	5	2,605	52	11	6,781	133	16	9,386	185
India .....	31	46,963	1,060	...	.....	...	31	46,963	1,060
Japan .....	4	3,943	58	1	664	11	5	4,607	69
Java .....	27	36,150	828	16	11,634	206	43	47,784	1,034
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land .....	...	.....	...	1	112	11	1	112	11
Mauritius .....	11	5,066	133	4	1,473	36	15	6,539	169
Mexico .....	...	.....	...	1	255	8	1	255	8
New Guinea ....	3	1,461	57	1	340	6	4	1,801	63
Norfolk Island ...	2	120	9	...	.....	...	2	120	9
New Zealand ...	301	154,529	5,749	8	4,203	86	309	158,732	5,835
New Caledonia ...	41	20,687	730	26	43,187	3,407	67	63,874	4,137
Peru .....	6	5,185	88	2	1,790	27	8	6,975	115
Phillipine Islands	16	16,827	286	21	19,624	328	37	36,451	614
Queensland .....	544	259,117	13,906	1	315	10	545	259,432	13,916
South Sea Islands	25	5,221	224	14	4,015	133	39	9,236	357
Samoa .....	...	.....	...	1	680	14	1	680	14
Singapore .....	11	18,118	347	1	11,347	237	20	29,465	584
Siam .....	1	372	10	9	282	8	2	654	18
Sumatra .....	1	357	11	...	.....	...	1	357	11
Tasmania .....	112	60,656	1,777	...	.....	...	112	60,656	1,777
Tahiti .....	1	489	18	...	.....	...	1	489	18
U.S. America ...	99	146,737	3,248	42	41,635	993	141	188,370	4,241
Victoria .....	622	501,877	19,115	2	564	17	624	502,441	19,132
Total .....	2,329	1,797,431	66,225	254	247,339	9,203	2,583	2,044,770	75,427

**No. 101.—Vessels, Outwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Sailing Vessels of each Nationality, cleared at Ports in the Colony during the year 1885.**

Nationality of Vessels.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British .....	286	315,951	5,981	23	28,272	536	309	344,223	6,517
British Possessions..	560	171,633	4,773	38	10,157	299	598	181,790	5,072
American .....	83	67,111	1,056	...	.....	...	83	67,111	1,056
German .....	34	24,164	459	1	437	10	35	24,601	469
French .....	17	8,362	210	1	282	9	18	8,644	219
Norwegian.....	35	23,625	427	4	3,052	50	39	26,677	477
Swedish.....	12	5,175	112	...	.....	...	12	5,175	112
Dutch .....	1	729	16	...	.....	...	1	729	16
Portuguese .....	1	44	5	...	.....	...	1	44	5
Russian .....	1	871	15	...	.....	...	1	871	15
Italian .....	2	1,655	24	...	.....	...	2	1,655	24
Chilian .....	2	2,297	36	...	.....	...	2	2,297	36
Hawaiian.....	1	1,122	18	...	.....	...	1	1,122	18
Bolivian.....	1	441	10	...	.....	...	1	441	10
Austrian .....	1	1,098	17	...	.....	...	1	1,098	17
Total Sailing Vessels.	1,037	624,278	13,159	67	42,200	904	1,104	666,478	14,063

**No. 102.—Vessels, Outwards: Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Steamships of each Nationality, cleared at Ports in the Colony during the year 1885.**

Nationality of Vessels.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British .....	259	405,474	18,118	3	4,102	92	262	409,576	18,210
British Possessions..	1,142	854,763	35,941	18	7,079	484	1,160	861,842	36,425
American .....	6	9,882	501	...	.....	...	6	9,882	501
German .....	13	19,289	422	...	.....	...	13	17,289	422
French .....	38	77,703	5,806	...	.....	...	38	77,703	5,806
Total Steamships	1,458	1,367,111	60,788	21	11,181	576	1,479	1,378,292	61,364

No. 103.—Number and Tonnage of Vessels entered Outwards for the years 1876–85.

Year.	To Great Britain.		To British Colonies.														To South Sea Islands.		To United States of America.		To Foreign States.		Total.	
			Victoria.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Western Australia.		Queensland.		Other British Possessions.									
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
1876	45	54,389	678	303,376	218	81,586	115	33,003	375	142,595	2	784	329	113,195	197	113,445	48	33,574	112	115,485	146	61,868	2,265	1,053,300
1877	50	63,214	734	328,238	185	62,862	113	32,826	357	149,028	2	462	361	118,677	141	106,275	53	14,021	86	107,103	219	119,069	2,301	1,101,775
1878	47	70,738	733	348,076	188	70,171	141	43,485	405	163,176	1	783	348	113,018	174	124,781	57	17,900	103	127,235	190	112,767	2,387	1,192,130
1879	68	99,276	711	371,772	200	75,177	144	49,497	387	157,575	5	1,277	333	123,011	121	100,980	58	15,103	101	121,076	268	157,603	2,396	1,272,347
1880	98	154,091	625	365,348	187	87,114	117	48,603	287	127,105	6	1,881	319	125,620	129	77,968	49	9,760	64	84,961	162	107,870	2,043	1,190,321
1881	94	160,658	590	372,110	150	81,325	125	49,826	284	127,003	2	618	356	136,014	123	118,905	72	23,546	116	145,813	191	114,443	2,103	1,330,261
1882	108	195,082	567	423,704	188	102,961	149	63,144	305	156,150	9	3,015	425	161,413	167	148,915	41	9,090	120	167,821	261	178,750	2,340	1,610,045
1883	130	222,296	725	583,158	164	105,856	153	71,877	308	186,342	11	4,047	565	221,138	197	183,671	52	14,700	144	182,448	325	295,515	2,774	2,071,048
1884	132	251,304	709	618,973	232	163,333	185	95,380	408	239,227	27	11,660	609	301,027	225	221,936	57	21,532	139	182,453	287	269,616	3,010	2,376,441
1885	120	232,522	624	502,441	167	114,480	112	60,656	309	158,732	17	8,743	545	259,432	213	224,607	39	9,836	141	188,370	296	284,951	2,583	2,044,770

No. 104.—Number and Tonnage of Vessels Built and Registered in the Colony in the year 1885.

## VESSELS BUILT.

Description.	Number.	Tons.
Brigantine .....	1	102
Schooners .....	13	139
Ketches .....	9	467
Luggers .....	3	42
Cutters .....	2	25
Lighters .....	1	25
Steamers .....	36	2,992
Total .....	65	3,792

## VESSELS REGISTERED.

Description.	Number.	Tons.	Men.
Barques .....	4	1,510	40
Brigantines .....	3	501	30
Schooners .....	20	1,748	122
Brig .....	1	284	11
Ketches .....	13	722	60
Luggers .....	4	55	10
Cutters .....	3	31	5
Lighters .....	1	25	2
Steamers .....	50	6,387	394
Total .....	99	11,263	674

No. 105.—Number and Tonnage of Vessels Built and Registered in the Colony during the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Vessels Built.		Vessels Registered.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1876	60	3,465	95	12,520
1877	61	4,510	103	11,595
1878	49	3,442	96	12,503
1879	50	2,335	90	9,431
1880	41	2,799	74	9,162
1881	31	1,507	74	13,013
1882	65	4,734	128	22,010
1883	102	7,253	155	19,972
1884	103	7,663	161	22,334
1885	65	3,792	99	11,263

No. 106.—Revenue Collected by the Department of Customs during the nine years, 1877–85.

Particulars of Receipt.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Wines and Spirits .....	545,755	585,477	556,158	641,085	708,923	744,488	767,949	807,419	785,948
Ale and Beer .....	35,666	33,864	37,746	31,567	34,579	41,574	46,972	53,209	61,202
Tobacco .....	102,532	108,928	93,159	97,396	126,827	128,658	128,894	207,037	267,804
Tea .....	67,370	63,259	83,793	74,042	86,212	87,829	75,719	100,053	98,915
Coffee and Chicory .....	9,618	9,353	9,037	10,983	10,610	10,850	10,638	13,406	13,543
Sugar .....	54,139	67,748	69,327	60,055	50,949	49,234	54,175	153,894	144,449
Methylated Spirits .....	804	1,150	1,038	1,102	1,340	1,673	1,776	1,980	2,116
Opium .....	9,173	9,349	10,514	10,940	13,068	12,960	14,135	20,413	23,075
Rice .....	9,738	11,325	13,585	10,300	15,069	15,224	13,855	17,193	15,835
Malt and Hops .....	11,870	13,710	13,281	13,390	15,753	18,939	17,266	18,304	20,409
Dried Fruits .....	43,403	37,993	32,382	37,027	57,857	51,522	50,597	62,017	54,400
Specific Duties .....	167,559	174,742	167,770	176,162	244,345	280,015	266,580	336,119	380,673
Pilotage .....	15,358	17,776	18,005	14,462	20,463	26,455	30,508	32,124	31,739
Harbour and Lights Rates .....	9,073	10,352	9,960	8,197	10,330	13,553	14,599	16,249	16,389
Removal Dues.....	2,845	3,024	2,997	2,022	2,698	4,034	4,377	4,319	4,290
Tonnage and Wharfage Rates .....	.....	.....	.....	6,974	14,177	8,909	7,096	7,895	7,396
Tax on Chinese .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	960	8,520	12,200	10,740	10,600
Bonded Warehouse License Fees .....	5,580	5,907	6,247	6,097	7,031	6,350	6,565	6,961	7,164
Miscellaneous Receipts .....	3,420	3,835	2,251	2,115	2,973	3,476	3,962	6,859	6,318
Total .....	£ 1,093,903	1,157,792	1,127,250	1,203,916	1,424,165	1,514,263	1,527,863	1,876,191	1,952,265



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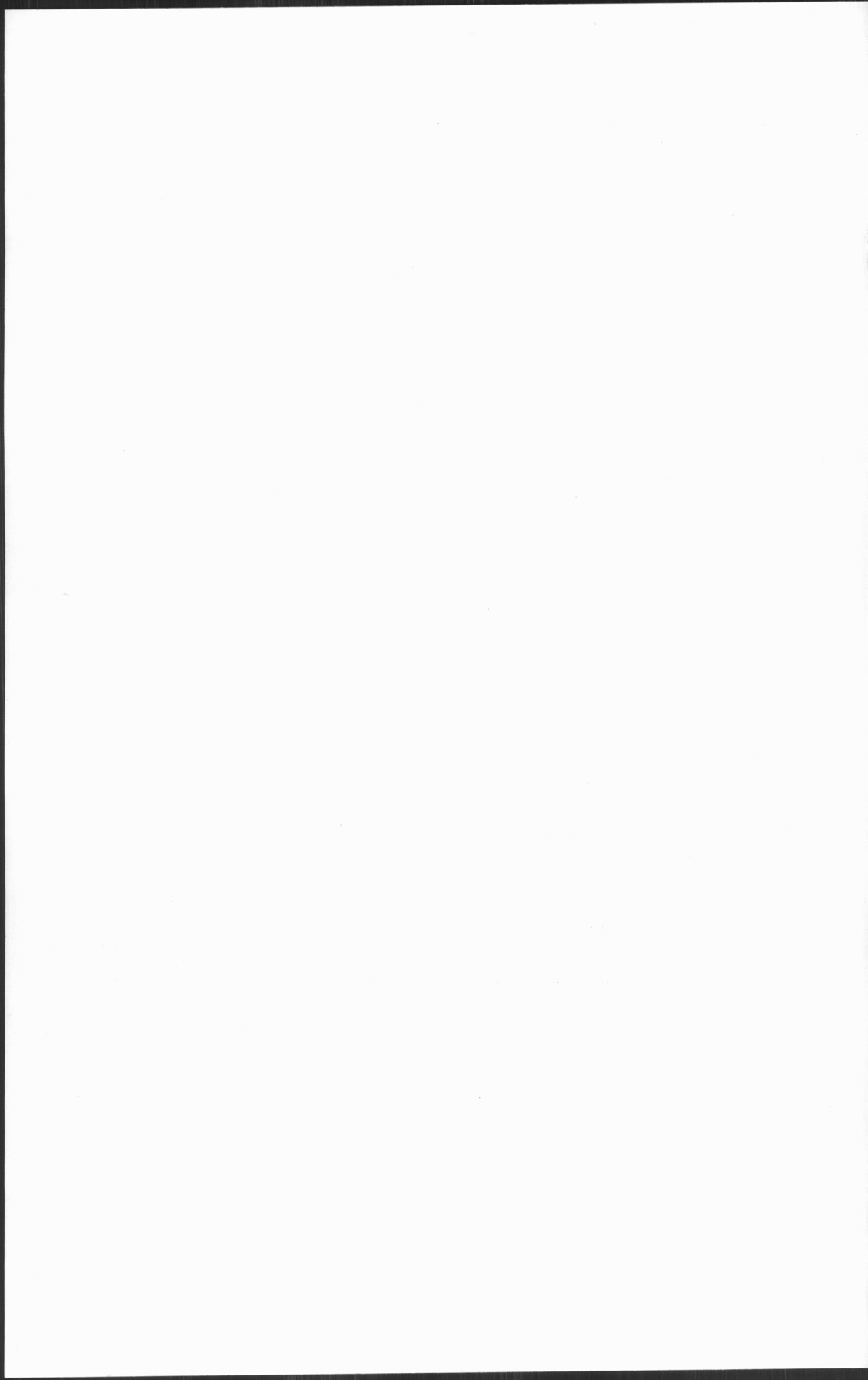
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**No. 107.—Number of Females employed in Principal Industries for the period 1877-85.**

Name of Establishment.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Account Book, &c., Manu- factories.....	71	64	68	64	84	83	131	144	177
Bakeries (Steam) .....	...	...	5	11	14	26	33	53	62
Bedding Manufactories..	23	45	22	31	35	43	60	52	60
Boot           "     ...	305	299	373	341	377	341	377	418	433
Clothing       "     ...	2,081	2,138	1,487	830	1,260	994	1,071	1,112	1,794
Confectionery   "     ...	64	79	74	33	44	34	47	45	60
Gingerbeer, Aerated Waters, &c., Manufac- tories .....	10	5	11	6	14	14	189	12	23
Hat Manufactories.....	70	24	30	26	12	23	24	45	55
Printing (Steam) ,, .....	29	30	54	19	9	...a	...a	...a	...a
Shirt           "     .....	344	309	314	175	166	96	...	50	100
Soap Powder    "     .....	12	23	14	22	23	39	30	28	26
Steam Washing Works...	22	3	4	21	41	48	79	85	84
Tanneries, &c. ....	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...
Tobacco Manufactories...	63	62	41	56	50	86	90	155	257
Woollen Cloth   "     ...	51	53	119	100	157	119	112	137	189
Other Industries, not enumerated above ...	72	98	81	93	117	113	153	150	195
	3,217	3,232	2,697	1,828	2,403	2,104	2,396	2,486	3,515

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## No. 108.—Number of the Principal Manufactories and

Name of Works or Industries.	1877.		1878.		1879.	
	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS .....	48	253	41	250	45	202
RAW MATERIAL, THE PRODUCTION OF PASTORAL PURSUITS—						
Boiling-down .....	36	89	34	50	33	83
Fellmongering .....	55	298	43	255	48	294
Tanneries .....	110	760	105	708	98	708
Wool-washing .....	82	986	92	599	74	695
CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK, OR THE PREPARATION THEREOF—						
Aerated Waters .....	137	681	146	769	155	795
Bakeries (steam) .....	6	67	6	85	6	127
Breweries .....	38	456	43	538	45	561
Confectionery .....	49	403	49	454	56	477
Ice .....	4	21	4	27	6	39
Meat Preserving and Salting .....	19	318	19	316	19	234
Sugar-mills and Refineries .....	98	1,230	121	1,311	76	1,613
CLOTHING—						
Boots .....	104	1,915	71	1,883	71	2,123
Clothing .....	42	2,710	53	2,983	50	2,125
Hats .....	13	127	12	69	14	107
Shirts .....	13	349	12	309	10	317
Woollen Cloth .....	8	207	9	198	9	276
BUILDING MATERIALS—						
Brickyards .....	336	1,715	383	1,946	375	1,812
Limekilns .....	100	264	123	290	87	217
Potteries .....	14	82	13	61	15	94
Saw-mills .....	215	1,694	228	2,077	232	2,072
Steam Joinery .....	11	174	12	158	12	141
METAL WORKS—						
Iron, Brass, Copper, and Tin .....	109	1,603	116	1,227	125	1,442
Machinery and Engineering .....	44	588	48	802	41	606
Smelting .....	22	653	25	488	21	552
SHIP-BUILDING, REPAIRING, &c.—						
Docks and Slips .....	9	186	9	194	10	132
Ship and Boat-building .....	106	593	100	510	93	531
MISCELLANEOUS—						
Account Books, &c. ....	13	177	12	190	13	195
Bedding .....	20	109	29	141	21	125
Cabinet Works (steam) .....	3	26	6	89	6	92
Coach and Waggon .....	140	1,049	135	1,164	151	1,224
Gas .....	11	207	11	275	10	325
Kerosene Oil .....	2	89	2	81	2	56
Marble .....	5	27	6	36	6	36
Paper .....	2	70	2	73	2	56
Printing .....	28	914	29	1,219	36	1,443
Railway Carriage .....	10	293	7	204	6	219
Saddle and Harness .....	171	685	207	906	185	687
Soap and Candle and Soap Powder .....	36	173	34	180	34	169
Stone Crushing .....	1	3	2	11	2	11
Tobacco .....	20	532	18	480	16	420
OTHER INDUSTRIES, NOT ENUMERATED ABOVE...	149	1,031	140	1,182	183	1,131
Totals .....	2,438	23,807	2,417	24,788	2,499	24,564

Works, with the Hands Employed, from 1877 to 1885.

1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.	
Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.	Works.	Hands.
50	231	62	269	49	228	65	347	63	341	75	385
47	155	43	282	40	148	42	169	43	220	36	272
51	276	55	339	38	323	31	192	37	264	39	301
107	755	121	831	118	1,003	110	854	115	796	111	788
80	708	77	607	97	964	89	839	99	891	95	829
143	724	174	909	176	890	175	953	206	1,043	217	1,159
6	119	10	186	7	182	8	263	6	290	7	325
45	595	50	637	56	699	59	747	60	788	70	805
61	349	58	365	58	364	57	415	56	414	56	416
3	49	4	59	3	47	5	65	9	211	9	258
17	193	14	90	14	321	13	303	14	432	13	369
78	1,205	81	1,887	111	2,418	103	1,499	111	2,362	105	2,858
75	2,379	71	2,226	62	2,036	61	2,125	68	2,289	55	2,105
48	1,580	53	2,072	51	1,686	63	1,926	75	2,265	85	3,072
13	85	13	71	15	76	14	95	16	124	18	180
9	191	7	171	4	97	3	69	3	50	4	100
8	214	7	335	8	385	9	372	8	312	9	323
390	2,727	412	2,476	478	3,106	448	3,002	431	3,078	449	3,617
98	270	98	333	91	279	81	248	78	264	77	264
15	80	13	105	17	171	18	175	19	140	18	134
243	2,458	280	2,382	334	3,013	370	3,318	376	3,477	415	3,783
27	322	30	552	39	577	49	758	48	770	53	858
136	1,757	143	1,765	131	1,736	140	1,785	160	1,768	174	1,838
48	933	58	1,201	72	1,404	70	1,440	78	1,729	86	1,675
16	1,181	14	1,517	21	1,444	12	1,729	14	1,013	25	783
10	109	11	148	10	154	14	194	17	352	15	284
81	416	67	466	70	522	68	548	74	1,004	74	890
13	161	16	312	13	286	15	328	21	421	22	478
26	119	25	138	26	174	28	203	36	265	36	240
5	76	7	72	10	115	10	175	8	156	11	220
166	1,450	173	1,578	182	1,539	203	1,848	229	1,936	245	2,144
12	342	15	541	17	408	19	526	20	589	27	1,008
2	61	2	44	2	23	2	60	2	54	2	195
8	47	9	78	9	83	9	70	11	133	23	164
2	73	2	75	2	88	2	120	1	100	1	60
34	1,449	45	1,449	47	1,600	56	1,761	66	2,142	77	2,531
6	230	5	234	7	558	6	436	7	698	8	822
218	896	229	988	231	997	250	1,054	266	1,068	253	956
38	203	38	232	40	263	38	220	34	204	40	223
3	27	16	63	40	214	36	402	65	668	61	550
14	510	14	470	17	653	14	660	17	675	15	572
184	1,317	198	1,294	223	1,386	246	1,649	259	1,701	252	1,864
2,636	27,022	2,820	29,849	3,036	32,660	3,111	33,399	3,336	37,497	3,463	40,698

No. 109.—Number of Mills for Grinding and Dressing Grain, with Hands Employed, during the ten years, 1877–85.

Year.	Steam.		Water.		Wind.		Horse.		Total.		Number of pairs of Stones in operation.	Number of Hands Employed.		
	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.	No.	Horse-power.		Males.	Females.	Total.
1876	150	2,481	8	77	2	20	4	12	164	2,590	355	...	...	...
1877	151	2,529	8	80	1	10	3	4	163	2,623	382	623	...	623
1878	152	2,577	10	88	1	10	2	2	165	2,677	395	657	7	664
1879	147	2,580	9	84	1	10	4	10	161	2,684	371	544	2	546
1880	140	2,551	7	88	1	10	2	10	150	2,659	347	566	...	566
1881	148	2,806	9	95	1	10	1	2	159	2,913	472	685	10	695
1882	156	2,929	7	72	1	10	2	14	166	3,025	403½	604	9	703
1883	145	2,759	9	88	...	...	...	...	154	2,847	390	685	...	685
1884	153	3,109	8	98	...	...	...	...	161	3,207	404	659	3	662
1885	152	3,026	7	66	...	...	...	...	159	3,092	370	662	...	662

No. 110.—Number of Sugar Manufactories in the Colony, and the Quantity of Sugar and Molasses produced, for the ten years, 1876–85.

Year	Number of Mills.		Quantity of Sugar Manufactured.	Quantity of Molasses Manufactured.
	Worked by Steam.	Worked by Cattle		
1876	19	31	cwt. 93,960	gallons. 273,480
1877	21	26	150,744	345,543
1878	36	23	163,203	532,825
1879	44	21	153,833	440,500
1880	50	15	1,6,003	269,092
1881	59	17	159,018	354,402
1882	70	16	210,568½	623,247
1883	79	14	314,470	490,138
1884	86	12	194,956	308,428
1885	83	19	369,280	622,601

No. 111.—Refined Sugar: Number of Sugar Refineries, and quantity of Sugar produced, for the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Quantity.
		cwt.
1876	2	284,544
1877	2	259,650
1878	2	324,480
1879	2	388,480
1880	2	414,400
1881	3	514,400
1882	2	508,500
1883	2	514,500
1884	3	317,500
1885	4	380,550

**No. 112.—Number of Soap and Candle Manufactories and quantities manufactured, for the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Soap.	Candles.	Year.	Number of Establishments.	Soap.	Candles.
		Quantity.	Quantity.			Quantity.	Quantity.
1876	30	cwt. 80,895	cwt. 13,811	1881	36	cwt. 106,962	cwt. 10,409
1877	33	92,958	36,909	1882	36	112,513	27,377
1878	32	77,655	35,282 $\frac{1}{2}$	1883	34	121,794	25,069
1879	33	64,524	10,703	1884	31	131,244	24,640
1880	36	144,118	8,248 $\frac{1}{4}$	1885	36	138,849	15,030

**No. 113.—Number of Woollens Manufactories and quantity of Cloth and Tweed manufactured, for the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Cloth and Tweed.	Year.	Number of Establishments.	Cloth and Tweed.
		yards.			yards.
1876	8	395,704	1881	5	208,000 <i>a</i>
1877	8	271,452 <i>a</i>	1882	8	169,225 <i>a</i>
1878	9	330,037 <i>a</i>	1883	9	202,000 <i>a</i>
1879	9	265,400 <i>a</i>	1884	7	155,000 <i>a</i>
1880	8	203,100 <i>a</i>	1885	6	187,750 <i>a</i>

*a* No Return from one establishment.

**No. 114.—Quantity of Colonial Distilled Spirits (Rum) manufactured during the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Quantity of Molasses.	Spirits.	Year.	Quantity of Molasses.	Spirits.
	cwt.	proof gallons.		cwt.	proof gallons.
1876	43,082	218,308	1881	14,399	74,377
1877	26,531	150,737	1882	25,035	118,066
1878	20,576	124,156	1883	31,596	152,766
1879	32,592	128,285	1884	34,523	160,403
1880	20,882	110,063	1885	39,380	193,343

**No. 115.—Number of Tobacco Manufactories and quantity of Tobacco manufactured, during the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Quantity.	Year.	Number of Establishments.	Quantity.
		cwt.			cwt.
1876	21	13,740	1881	14	17,629
1877	18	19,180	1882	17	22,814
1878	15	17,325	1883	14	19,452
1879	16	24,654	1884	17	18,718
1880	14	18,357	1885	15	21,474



**No. 116.—Boiling-down Establishments and quantity of Tallow and Lard produced during the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Number of Boiling-down Establishments.	Tallow Produced.	Lard Produced.
	No.	cwt.	lb.
1876	29	43,810	6,989
1877	36	61,294	11,260
1878	34	51,570	5,005
1879	33	60,077	1,794
1880	64 <sup>a</sup>	145,393	900
1881	47	136,044	.....
1882	39	199,315	9,000
1883	42	222,485	4,320
1884	41	136,972	2,950
1885	36	132,852	368

<sup>a</sup> Includes Salting and Meat-preserving Establishments.**No. 117.—Number of Sheep, Cattle, and Pigs slaughtered for Boiling-down during the ten years, 1876–85.**

Year.	Sheep Slaughtered.	Horned-cattle Slaughtered.	Pigs Slaughtered.
1876	25,876	4,611	175
1877	24,000	7,793	213
1878	.....	.....	.....
1879	499	97	.....
1880	204,355	16,107	712
1881	183,549	6,820	50
1882	168,920	21,574	1,655
1883	333,041	21,199	730
1884	552,660	19,023	338
1885	348,095	18,684	130

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**No. 118.—Revenue and Expenditure (not including Loans) of the Colony, from 1876 to 1885.**

Year.	Revenue.	Expenditure.
	£	£
1876	5,033,828	3,273,834
1877	5,748,246	4,017,530
1878	4,983,864	4,074,414
1879	4,475,059	4,726,475
1880	4,904,230	5,585,078
1881	6,714,327	5,790,580
1882	7,410,737	6,349,418
1883	6,470,341	7,787,081
1884	7,115,594	8,412,609
1885	7,584,593	8,573,288
Total...	£60,440,819	£58,590,307

**No. 119.—Expenditure from Loans, from 1876 to 1885.**

Year.	Expenditure.	Year.	Expenditure.
	£		£
1876	1,197,515	1882	2,832,759
1877	1,020,451	1883	3,265,711
1878	1,018,276	1884	3,674,706
1879	2,164,171	1885	3,897,045
1880	1,668,619		
1881	2,397,368	Total .....	£23,136,621

**No. 120.—Public Debt of the Colony, at the close of each year, from 1876 to 1885.**

Year.	Amount of the Public Debt, on 31st December.
	£
1876	11,759,719
1877	11,724,419
1878	11,688,119
1879	14,937,419
1880	14,993,919
1881	16,924,019
1882	16,721,219
1883	21,632,459
1884	24,601,959
1885	30,064,259 <sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup> The liability of the Loan Fund, on 31st December, 1885, was £34,172,837

## No. 121.—Distribution of the Public Debt on 31st December, 1885.

	Debt. £	Interest, from 1st January, 1886. £
Railways and Tramways .....	24,163,319	1,005,668
Electric Telegraphs .....	579,173	26,442
Harbours and Rivers Navigation .....	1,350,185	60,420
Roads and Bridges .....	556,371	25,373
Immigration .....	387,663	18,863
City of Sydney Sewerage .....	492,133	20,717
City of Sydney Water Supply .....	1,057,675	43,773
Other Public Works and Buildings .....	1,477,740	60,780
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>30,064,259</b>	<b>1,262,036</b>

## No. 122.—Amount of Coin and Bullion in the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint, Colonial Treasury, and the Banks in the Colony, on 31st December, 1885.

	On 31st December.			Average of the Year.		
	Coin	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
In the Sydney Mint .....	.....	17,377 6 4	17,377 6 4	.....	51,365 18 2	51,365 18 2
Banks:—						
New South Wales .....	795,362 14 3	15,061 15 8	810,424 9 11	930,425 17 4	33,756 19 11	964,182 17 3
Commercial .....	930,329 16 7	10,876 9 1	941,206 5 8	1,075,465 12 4	8,043 16 3	1,083,509 8 7
Australasia .....	423,752 2 11	.....	423,752 2 11	413,815 14 1	1,551 3 2	415,366 17 3
Union of Australia .....	321,412 9 10	484 14 8	321,897 4 6	395,587 14 10	473 5 8	396,061 0 6
Australian Joint Stock .....	524,925 7 4	5,003 15 3	529,929 2 7	450,745 9 7	13,883 15 5	464,629 5 0
London Chartered .....	143,466 7 1	98 11 4	143,564 18 5	109,150 17 3	911 6 1	110,062 3 4
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered	220,546 17 2	.....	220,546 17 2	224,505 13 1	.....	224,505 13 1
City .....	244,647 0 9	.....	244,647 0 9	177,296 17 7	576 8 10	177,873 6 5
Mercantile .....	155,299 4 10	.....	155,299 4 10	129,359 15 11	.....	129,359 15 11
Bank of New Zealand .....	110,839 13 0	26,172 12 1	137,012 5 1	141,670 19 0	2,837 3 4	144,508 2 4
Federal Bank of Australia (Limited) .....	34,500 9 1	.....	34,500 9 1	38,436 11 1	.....	38,436 11 1
Queensland National .....	111,383 13 8	.....	111,383 13 8	126,755 14 7	.....	126,755 14 7
Commercial of Australia .....	45,835 8 5	.....	45,835 8 5	48,744 13 0	.....	48,744 13 0
Commercial of South Australia .....	7,539 4 11	.....	7,539 4 11	7,143 14 8	7 6 2	7,151 0 10
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>£4,069,840 9 10</b>	<b>75,075 4 5</b>	<b>4,144,915 14 3</b>	<b>4,269,105 4 4</b>	<b>113,407 3 0</b>	<b>4,382,512 7 4</b>

**No. 123.—Amount of Coin and Bullion in the Branch Royal Mint and the Banks, on the 31st December in each year, for the period 1876–85.**

Year.	Branch Royal Mint.		Banks.		Total.	Increase on previous Year.	Decrease on previous Year.
	Coin.	Bullion.	Coin.	Bullion.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	100 0 0	85,161 10 11	2,732,103 19 0	62,051 8 6	2,879,416 18 5	174,408 4 11	.....
1877	100 0 0	34,170 11 6	2,435,126 5 4	106,023 2 4	2,575,419 19 2	.....	303,996 19 3
1878	90 0 0	15,441 18 3	2,227,114 10 2	39,154 4 2	2,281,800 12 7	.....	293,619 6 7
1879	.....	34,952 13 6	3,102,345 9 2	40,285 8 9	3,177,583 11 5	.....	895,782 18 10
1880	.....	16,599 11 2	3,637,568 9 1	54,412 8 1	3,708,580 8 4	.....	530,996 16 11
1881	.....	12,377 7 7	2,885,890 0 5	97,273 6 3	2,995,540 14 3	.....	713,039 14 1
1882	.....	9,270 13 8	2,672,799 5 5	157,036 9 6	2,839,106 8 7	.....	156,434 5 8
1883	.....	12,388 11 2	2,861,979 16 2	46,397 4 9	2,920,765 12 1	.....	81,659 3 6
1884	.....	50,460 7 8	3,863,872 14 7	46,753 8 8	3,961,086 10 11	.....	1,040,320 18 10
1885	.....	17,377 6 4	4,069,840 9 10	57,697 18 1	4,144,915 14 3	.....	183,829 3 4

**No. 124.—Standard Weight and Fineness of Coins in Circulation.**

Denomination of Coin.		Standard Weight.	Least current Weight.	Standard Fineness.
Gold	{ Sovereign	Imperial grains. 123'27447	Imperial grains. 122'50000	{ Eleven-twelfths fine gold, one-twelfth alloy; or decimal fineness, '91666.
	{ Half-sovereign	61'63723	61'12500	
	{ Crown	436'36363	.....	
	{ Half-crown	218'18181	.....	
Silver	{ Florin	174'54545	.....	{ Thirty-seven-fortieths fine silver, three-fortieths alloy; or decimal fineness, '925.
	{ Shilling	87'27272	.....	
	{ Sixpence	43'63636	.....	
	{ Threepence	21'81818	.....	
Bronze	{ Penny	145'83333	.....	{ Mixed metal, copper, tin, and zinc.
	{ Halfpenny	87'50000	.....	



No. 125.—Estimate of the Amount of Coin in New South Wales at the close of 1885.

Where held.	Gold.	Silver.	Bronze.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
In private hands .....	2,923,743	302,721	23,618	3,250,082
In the Banks .....	3,882,103	185,642	2,095	4,069,840
Total .....	£ 6,805,846	488,363	25,713	7,319,922

No. 126.—New Silver and Bronze Coin issued by the Sydney Branch Royal Mint.

Date.	Silver Coin issued.						Bronze Coin issued.		
	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Sixpences.	Threepences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1868 to 1875	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,620	2,565	15,185
1876	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	815	230	1,045
1877	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	565	205	770
1878	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	560	175	735
1879	17,000	15,972	12,000	3,681	4,647	53,300	680	230	910
1880	11,300	6,428	11,900	2,219	3,153	35,000	450	95	545
1881	14,600	10,600	12,000	3,600	2,700	43,500	300	410	710
1882	12,100	11,300	13,800	1,300	4,000	42,500	1,475	475	1,950
1883	11,200	9,300	13,000	2,400	3,700	39,600	1,015	360	1,375
1884	15,000	11,800	11,300	4,300	3,800	46,200	1,510	255	1,765
1885	11,100	7,200	12,450	5,550	7,600	43,900	2,040	445	2,485
Total ...£	92,300	72,600	86,450	23,050	29,600	304,000	22,030	5,445	27,475

# No. 127.—Worn Silver Coin withdrawn from Circulation.

Year.	Nominal Amount.		Actual Weight.		Nett Loss.	
	Value.	Weight.	Before Melting.	After Melting.	Weight.	Proportion.
	£ s. d.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	per cent.
1873 to 1875	29,914 9 5	108,779'88	93,323'87	93,299'54	15,480'34	14'23
1876	5,168 0 0	18,792'73	16,000'08	15,994'70	2,798'03	14'89
1877	6,415 0 0	23,327'27	20,017'36	20,011'90	3,315'37	14'21
1878	3,977 3 6	14,462'45	12,356'97	12,353'36	2,109'09	14'58
1879	9,324 0 0	33,905'44	29,328'45	29,320'15	4,585'29	13'52
1880	14,250 0 0	51,818'18	45,773'71	45,758'35	6,059'83	11'69
1881	7,700 0 0	28,000'00	24,596'40	24,578'05	3,421'95	12'22
1882	7,840 0 0	28,509'06	25,142'25	25,127'15	3,381'91	11'86
1883	6,577 13 0	23,918'67	21,076'85	21,064'80	2,853'87	11'93
1884	4,085 0 0	14,854'51	12,993'13	12,981'50	1,873'01	12'61
1885	4,530 0 0	16,472'70	14,574'30	14,562'15	1,910'55	11'60
Total.....	£ 99,781 5 11	362,840'89	315,183'37	315,051'65	47,789'24	13'17

# No. 128.—Amount of Notes of the several Banks in Circulation, on 31st December, 1885.

Banks	On 31st December, 1885.	Average of the Year.	Banks.	On 31st December, 1885.	Average of the Year.
	£	£ s. d.		£	£ s. d.
New South Wales .....	408,080	396,975 13 5	Mercantile.....	44,048	41,296 5 1
Commercial.....	509,407	500,265 9 0	Bank of New Zealand.....	55,799	44,432 0 0
Australasia .....	156,658	131,454 0 0	Federal Bank of Australia .....	14,700	14,805 0 0
Union of Australia .....	63,227	62,479 0 0	Queensland National Bank.....	.....	.....
Australian Joint Stock.....	418,283	349,002 15 9	Commercial of Australia.....	4,111	3,342 0 0
London Chartered.....	33,330	30,069 0 0	Commercial of South Australia .....	14,332	12,576 18 6
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered City.....	130,757	110,124 0 0			
	68,340	59,111 5 9	Total .....	£ 1,921,072	1,755,933 7 6

No. 129.—Weight and Value of Gold Received for Coinage: Value of Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued, &c., from the opening of the Mint, on the 14th May, 1855, to the 31st December, 1885.

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Year.	Gold received for Coinage.		Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued.					
			Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.		Total Value of Gold Coin and Bullion.
	Weight.	Value.	Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.	
	oz.	£ s. d.	£	£	£	oz.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1855 to 1875	10,355,855'80	39,965,835 15 6	36,945,500	1,933,500	37,979,000	484,936'140	1,935,081 2 6	39,914,081 2 6
1876	431,905'27	1,605,557 19 8	1,613,000	30,000	1,643,000	2,129'789	8,292 17 4	1,651,292 17 4
1877	438,385'50	1,608,248 2 8	1,590,000	.....	1,590,000	1,709'643	6,656 18 7	1,596,656 18 7
1878	305,173'89	1,308,898 1 5	1,259,000	63,000	1,322,000	1,584'683	6,276 5 8	1,328,276 5 8
1879	394,606'76	1,434,871 3 2	1,366,000	47,000	1,413,000	1,139'438	4,588 8 9	1,417,588 8 9
1880	406,291'87	1,487,078 12 10	1,459,000	40,000	1,499,000	152'700	648 12 8	1,499,648 12 8
1881	465,584'70	1,702,102 7 2	1,360,000	31,000	1,391,000	78,349'931	306,649 8 9	1,697,649 8 9
1882	401,559'69	1,477,134 7 9	1,298,000	26,000	1,324,000	36,127'672	149,008 9 11	1,473,008 9 11
1883	374,141'20	1,353,665 9 6	1,108,000	110,000	1,218,000	30,895'460	124,610 4 4	1,342,610 4 4
1884	475,053'41	1,713,843 19 9	1,595,000	.....	1,595,000	16,680'440	70,591 18 1	1,665,591 18 1
1885	422,160'20	1,510,061 10 3	1,486,000	.....	1,486,000	12,048'590	46,978 1 7	1,532,978 1 7
Grand Total	14,530,718'29	55,167,897 9 8	50,179,500	2,280,500	52,460,000	665,754'486	2,659,382 8 2	55,119,382 8 2

No. 130.—Revenue derived from Mint Charges, 1855–85.

Year.	From Mint Charges.		From Silver.	From other Sources.	Total.
	On New South Wales Gold.	On Foreign Gold.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1855 to 1875	233,111 7 9	96,661 16 9	15,743 1 9	40,003 12 1	385,519 18 4
1876	3,941 8 10	3,687 10 5	1,179 10 10	1,687 14 1	10,496 4 2
1877	3,316 9 11	3,691 11 8	2,612 3 4	1,282 14 9	10,902 19 8
1878	2,944 3 9	2,888 18 11	2,012 3 2	1,964 14 2	9,810 0 0
1879	2,535 12 1	2,961 14 1	2,202 4 1	1,670 0 8	9,369 10 11
1880	2,247 11 3	2,371 10 11	3,936 13 8	1,656 16 0	10,212 11 10
1881	2,622 17 4	2,601 4 4	3,631 12 11	1,599 6 10	10,455 1 5
1882	2,520 12 0	2,165 6 2	3,000 15 2	1,300 3 8	8,986 17 0
1883	2,174 15 3	1,733 2 7	2,472 5 11	628 6 9	7,008 10 6
1884	1,961 0 0	2,820 0 6	3,203 5 10	581 7 8	8,565 14 0
1885	1,785 15 8	2,661 11 10	2,606 11 5	577 8 0	7,631 6 11
Total	259,161 13 10	124,244 8 2	42,600 8 1	52,952 4 8	478,958 14 9

No. 131.—Colonies in which the Gold received at the Mint was produced.

Period.	New South Wales.	Queensland.	New Zealand.	Victoria.	Tasmania.	South Australia.	Other Countries.	Coin.		Total.	
	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1855-75	21,917,824	5,132,438	6,822,969	5,904,855	21,983	856	27,701	36,066	137,209	10,355,856	39,965,836
1876	575,565	967,967	54,784	.....	.....	740	1,495	1,310	5,008	431,905	1,605,558
1877	459,201	1,126,315	4,656	226	.....	2,807	1,327	3,543	13,717	438,385	1,608,248
1878	382,741	838,880	61,439	142	101	1,522	8,845	3,938	15,226	365,174	1,308,898
1879	396,353	848,250	156,437	61	4	5,118	467	7,264	28,181	394,607	1,434,871
1880	434,337	787,063	260,733	20	419	2,231	9	750	2,866	406,292	1,487,679
1881	549,918	876,856	233,891	19	.....	10,217	.....	8,021	31,202	465,585	1,702,102
1882	491,240	698,233	149,162	180	326	1,830	137	34,944	136,027	401,560	1,477,134
1883	450,766	679,794	138,395	11	282	7,931	..	19,649	76,487	374,141	1,353,665
1884	386,670	1,094,702	106,432	211	510	49,549	173	19,419	75,596	475,053	1,713,844
1885	340,802	1,063,808	4,726	239	126	38,299	340	15,860	61,722	422,160	1,510,062
Total .....	26,385,417	14,114,307	7,993,624	5,905,965	23,750	121,099	40,495	150,763	583,241	14,530,718	55,167,897

No. 132.—Estimate of the Produce of Gold in Australasia and New Zealand.

Year	New South Wales.		New Zealand.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Tasmania.		Victoria.		Total	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1851-75	8,415,572	31,175,174	7,955,344	30,987,723	1,889,458	6,940,406	24,687	87,695	28,802	111,786	45,509,964	182,039,854	63,823,827	251,342,638
1876	155,166	581,689	318,367	1,268,559	374,776	1,427,929	9,858	34,135	11,107	44,923	963,760	3,855,040	1,833,034	7,212,275
1877	122,629	463,130	371,685	1,496,080	353,266	1,307,084	11,811	41,946	5,777	23,289	809,653	3,238,612	1,674,821	6,570,141
1878	117,978	423,184	310,486	1,240,079	283,592	1,052,490	10,746	36,654	25,249	100,000	775,272	3,101,088	1,523,323	5,953,495
1879	107,640	399,187	284,100	1,134,641	281,552	1,023,237	14,251	50,429	60,155	230,895	758,947	3,035,788	1,506,645	5,874,177
1880	116,751	434,641	303,215	1,220,203	228,120	820,043	13,246	48,441	52,595	201,297	829,121	3,310,484	1,543,048	6,041,769
1881	145,532	550,111	250,683	996,867	259,782	925,012	16,976	61,889	56,693	216,901	858,850	3,435,400	1,588,516	6,186,180
1882	129,233	491,594	230,893	921,664	230,090	829,655	15,668	55,743	49,122	187,337	898,536	3,594,144	1,553,542	6,080,137
1883	122,257	452,611	222,899	892,445	193,994	698,138	15,938	58,600	46,577	176,442	810,047	3,240,188	1,411,712	5,518,424
1884	105,933	390,229	246,392	988,953	261,824	923,010	21,455	75,036	42,340	160,404	778,618	3,114,472	1,456,562	5,652,104
1885	100,667	366,388	222,732	890,056	308,348	1,119,170	18,327	65,443	41,241	155,309	735,218	2,940,872	1,426,533	5,537,238
	9,639,358	35,727,938	10,716,796	42,037,330	4,664,802	17,066,774	172,963	616,011	419,658	1,608,583	53,727,986	214,911,942	79,341,563	311,968,578

No. 133.—Coin and Bullion in Store in the various Banks of the Colony; Notes in Circulation and Interest allowed on Deposits.

Period.	Interest allowed to Depositors : Rate per cent. per Annum on Fixed Deposits for.			Coin in Store.		Bullion in Store.		Notes in Circulation.	
	Three months.	Six months.	Twelve months.	On 31st December.	Average of the Year.	On 31st December.	Average of the Year.	On 31st December.	Average of the Year.
1876	3	4	5	£ s. d. 2,732,103 19 0	£ s. d. 2,828,506 0 3	£ s. d. 62,051 8 6	£ s. d. 87,063 11 0	£ 1,220,556	£ 1,094,003
1877	3	4	5	2,435,126 5 4	2,625,806 2 5	106,023 2 4	84,356 16 3	1,242,081	1,129,249
1878	3 to 5	4 to 6	5 to 6½	2,227,114 10 2	2,261,850 16 10	39,154 4 2	86,388 13 8	1,238,350	1,165,745
1879	4 to 5	5 to 6	6 to 7	3,102,345 9 2	2,487,165 8 1	40,285 8 9	84,254 12 0	1,228,056	1,123,117
1880	2 to 4	3 to 5	4 to 6	3,637,568 9 1	3,359,663 9 10	54,412 8 1	73,483 13 1	1,361,206	1,173,663
1881	2	2½ to 3	3 to 4	2,885,890 0 5	3,369,028 1 8	97,273 6 3	79,814 11 11	1,669,101	1,388,772
1882	2 to 4	3 to 5	4 to 6	2,672,799 5 5	2,825,337 13 7	157,036 9 6	74,336 6 8	1,764,222	1,632,614
1883	4 to 5	5 to 6	5½ to 6½	2,861,979 16 2	2,805,535 13 10	46,397 4 9	78,762 10 2	1,812,336	1,680,472
1884	3 to 4	4 to 5	5 to 6	3,863,872 14 7	3,550,942 7 8	46,753 8 8	58,420 17 1	1,720,234	1,628,364
1885	3	4	5	4,069,840 9 10	4,269,105 4 4	57,697 18 1	62,041 4 10	1,921,072	1,755,933

No. 134.—Average Assets and Liabilities of the undermentioned Banks of the Colony, for the last Quarter of the Year 1885.

Banks.	Liabilities.					
	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits not bearing Interest.	Deposits bearing Interest.	Total Liabilities.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	375,498 10 9	8,607 16 2	48,362 4 0	2,472,622 19 8	3,993,713 19 1	6,898,805 9 8
Commercial .....	489,227 9 2	6,413 14 10	82,367 16 1	2,207,084 18 3	5,019,235 7 5	7,804,329 5 9
Australasia .....	146,461 17 1	10,933 13 3	4,863 5 4	625,764 9 4	1,212,386 13 6	2,000,409 18 6
Union of Australia .....	61,306 5 3	10,912 6 2	549 8 10	421,457 6 0	891,270 8 0	1,385,495 14 3
Australian Joint Stock .....	384,871 9 3	6,902 0 1	23,314 10 10	1,116,146 5 9	2,407,258 14 3	3,938,493 0 2
London Chartered of Australia .....	34,192 0 0	639 11 10	8,974 14 1	199,006 6 7	443,498 0 9	686,310 13 3
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .....	119,823 10 9	4,969 16 1	1 479 0 9	425,982 1 2	894,388 12 9	1,446,643 1 6
City .....	61,325 4 8	192 14 7	16,530 3 11	391,208 11 10	1,056,914 3 7	1,526,170 18 7
Mercantile Bank of Sydney.....	40,311 15 9	814 5 1	165,466 8 5	327,143 16 6	1,101,176 2 0	1,634,912 7 9
Federal Bank of Australia .....	14,021 13 10	76 15 7	2,307 13 10	86,559 8 4	289,114 13 6	392,080 5 1
Queensland National Bank .....	.....	2,265 19 1	94,826 0 4	24,798 0 0	131,137 4 6	253,027 3 11
Bank of New Zealand .....	50,072 9 3	4,493 2 3	400,682 10 2	292,915 18 0	457,535 13 4	1,205,699 13 0
Commercial Bank of Australia.....	3,555 0 0	1,996 0 4	275,173 0 5	51,196 3 0	129,661 19 5	461,582 3 2
Commercial Bank of South Australia	13,018 9 3	109 0 7	.....	29,002 19 8	11,205 9 7	53,335 19 1
Totals .....	£ 1,793,685 15 0	59,326 15 11	1,124,896 17 0	8,670,889 4 1	18,038,497 1 8	29,687,295 13 8

Banks.	Assets.						
	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	872,654 18 4	38,600 5 2	184,906 4 1	4,316 10 9	615,771 17 11	6,833,393 17 10	8,549,643 14 1
Commercial .....	900,335 10 10	7,940 13 2	249,523 12 11	41,673 18 7	661,227 6 6	7,305,912 0 8	9,166,613 2 8
Australasia.....	429,595 4 8	858 2 2	61,901 6 0	11,222 8 1	7,204 12 4	2,182,367 12 9	2,693,149 6 0
Union of Australia .....	368,450 9 9	455 13 10	55,236 1 0	11,186 11 2	136 10 2	2,157,269 14 11	2,592,735 0 10
Australian Joint Stock .....	453,212 6 10	17,442 18 1	163,933 0 3	37,041 6 2	41,216 8 9	4,550,833 0 4	5,263,679 0 5
London Chartered of Australia...	99,022 16 0	214 1 6	30,956 7 10	2,617 9 2	581 7 7	1,163,523 15 6	1,296,915 17 7
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .....	233,008 0 0	.....	73,053 1 11	16,711 14 0	2,794 16 4	1,741,416 19 8	2,066,984 11 11
City .....	183,055 11 5	527 3 9	31,280 19 2	2,517 3 1	66,904 13 11	1,602,396 3 6	1,886,681 14 10
Mercantile Bank of Sydney.....	112,462 7 8	.....	54,042 0 4	6,987 11 9	131,987 14 11	1,788,924 4 11	2,094,403 19 7
Federal Bank of Australia .....	35,902 6 6	.....	42,464 3 3	1,654 15 4	.....	458,048 10 5	538,069 15 6
Queensland National Bank .....	147,095 4 0	.....	14,853 17 2	2,616 15 5	.....	87,511 7 6	252,077 4 1
Bank of New Zealand .....	151,998 15 6	10,221 3 9	31,183 7 5	.....	.....	1,039,331 1 4	1,232,734 8 0
Commercial Bank of Australia...	33,244 7 6	.....	29,000 0 0	850 8 3	2,635 15 2	400,844 19 5	466,575 10 4
Commercial Bank of South Australia .....	7,416 15 10	.....	2,052 8 8	565 3 5	.....	33,135 9 2	43,169 17 1
Total .....	£4,027,454 14 10	76,260 1 5	1,024,386 10 0	139,961 15 2	1,530,461 3 7	31,344,908 17 11	38,143,433 2 11

No. 135.—Capital and Profits of Banks operating in the Colony, for the Year 1885.

Banks.	Capital and Profits.			
	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annun of last Dividend.	Amount of Dividend.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.
	£	Per cent.	£	£ s. d.
New South Wales .....	1,000,000	17½	87,500	580,000 0 0
Commercial .....	600,000	25	75,000	711,292 6 7
Australasia .....	1,600,000	15	120,000	770,000 0 0
Union of Australia .....	1,500,000	16	120,000	1,115,648 2 7
Australian Joint Stock .....	500,000	12½	31,250	255,981 11 9
London Chartered of Australia .....	1,000,000	6	30,000	118,062 4 6
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .....	720,000	10	36,000	205,000 0 0
City .....	240,000	12½	15,000	118,164 14 10
Mercantile Bank .....	300,000	9	13,500	154,867 10 10
Federal Bank of Australia .....	400,000	8	13,100	34,917 18 5
Queensland National Bank .....	652,300	15	48,922	313,431 8 8
Bank of New Zealand .....	1,000,000	15	75,000	727,102 17 8
Commercial Bank of Australia .....	600,000	10	30,000	231,029 11 8
Commercial Bank of South Australia .....	400,000	8	16,000	86,500 0 0
Totals .....	10,512,300	.....	711,272	5,421,998 7 6

No. 136.—Amount of Deposits, with number of Accounts opened, in Government Savings Banks, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Amount of Deposits on 31st December.	Number of Depositors, 31st December.	New Accounts Opened during the Year.	Old Accounts Closed during the Year.	Increase.
	£ s. d.				
1876	400,120 1 10	13,270	6,996	4 534	2,462
1877	467,452 10 10	16,076	8,268	5,462	2,806
1878	480,024 17 5	18,957	9,853	6,961	2,892
1879	511,357 2 11	21,567	10,780	8,170	2,610
1880	587,496 3 0	24,602	12,229	9,194	3,035
1881	971,501 6 10	31,852	17,516	10,266	7,250
1882	1,158,454 3 4	38,853	20,968	13,967	7,001
1883	1,183,519 3 9	45,721	25,009	18,141	6,868
1884	1,290,931 6 8	51,399	27,449	21,771	5,678
1885	1,471,894 1 11	57,538	29,135	22,986	6,149



No. 137.—Amount of Deposits, with number of Accounts opened, in New South Wales Savings Bank, for the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	£20 and under.		Between £20 and £50.		Between £50 and £100.		Between £100 and £200.		Between £200 and £300.		£300 and upwards.		Total.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	14,695	81,382 6	9,542	192,593 14	8,494	355,447 13	2,517	570,672 6	5,151	35,052 4	10 99	68,664 6	6,31,003	1,303,812 12
1877	15,337	83,390 19	9,602	205,938 6	2,522	373,299 16	5,329	576,924 10	7,151	35,368 19	11 112	80,335 11	1,32,220	1,355,258 3
1878	15,979	90,456 4	1,625	200,928 8	0,513	366,513 15	9,042	560,231 18	8,122	28,026 16	10 120	86,859 13	0,32,644	1,333,016 16
1879	17,096	95,640 18	1,649	209,961 7	7,536	380,356 8	0,549	609,354 8	8,131	30,690 6	11 112	84,901 10	6,34,689	1,410,904 19
1880	18,357	101,273 5	5,688	225,211 6	0,576	413,858 6	8,041	622,237 3	2,144	32,599 18	11 123	94,180 1	8,36,929	1,489,360 1
1881	19,684	108,993 4	2,729	234,263 3	8,622	447,891 14	11,700	771,451 8	0,181	42,457 8	6 146	122,145 1	10,40,532	1,727,202 1
1882	20,502	116,582 17	9,754	254,164 2	3,652	478,224 0	7,392	525,580 5	4,183	43,702 14	3 152	138,387 9	7,42,274	1,856,641 9
1883	22,873	128,079 15	3,627	278,188 10	11,673	478,345 19	0,859	762,019 13	6,194	47,098 12	3 155	128,586 4	4,45,442	1,822,318 15
1884	23,935	130,940 2	6,779	282,225 8	7,109	509,378 6	7,934	774,798 16	2,184	42,855 17	0 181	147,150 10	1,47,122	1,887,349 0
1885	25,426	139,118 15	5,928	297,400 19	5,558	542,330 12	10,738	824,875 11	4,211	48,929 1	1 185	164,001 7	1,49,977	2,016,656 7

No. 138.—Passengers and Goods carried on the Government Railways, with Earnings and Expenditure, for the period 1876–85.

Year.	Average number of Miles open for Traffic.	Passengers Carried.	Receipts for Coaching.	Tonnage of Goods.	Receipts of Goods.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Total Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.
			£	tons.	£	£	£	£	£
1876	460	2,478,946	228,519	1,244,251	459,355	5,351	693,225	339,406	353,819
1877	552	2,957,144	270,771	1,410,610	542,621	2,528	815,920	418,985	396,935
1878	633	3,705,733	305,799	1,594,983	595,606	1,674	902,989	536,988	366,001
1879	709	4,317,864	317,730	1,693,010	631,493	3,144	952,366	604,721	347,645
1880	787	5,440,138	386,818	1,686,889	769,657	4,542	1,161,017	647,719	513,298
1881	956	6,907,312	487,329	1,996,446	954,529	2,298	1,444,226	738,334	705,891
1882	1,268½	8,984,313	582,423	2,557,269	1,106,770	9,670	1,698,864	934,635	764,228
1883	1,320½	10,270,937	657,856	2,796,301	1,267,334	6,275	1,931,465	1,177,788	753,676
1884	1,618½	11,253,109	738,832	3,050,802	1,338,090	9,314	2,086,237	1,301,259	787,862
1885	1,732½	13,506,346	826,385	3,199,461	1,341,985	5,999	2,174,368	1,458,153	716,215

No. 139.—Offices, Employés, Income, Expenditure, &c., of New South Wales Post Office, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Number of Post Offices.	Number of Receiving Offices.	Number of Persons employed.	Number of Miles travelled by Mail Conveyance.	Extent of Postal Lines in Miles.	Income.	Approximate Expenditure.
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1876	782	18	1,090	3,891,906	18,418	128,641 16 11	206,798 13 7
1877	810	48	1,180	4,095,530	19,508	154,170 18 3	226,305 5 6
1878	847	75	1,272	4,389,925	20,176	155,621 19 6	248,216 11 8
1879	884	101	1,452	4,776,925	21,368	171,366 17 0	263,787 17 6
1880	927	119	1,536	5,246,373	22,427	194,084 8 7	268,128 0 0
1881	973	155	1,691	5,467,182	23,094	205,446 7 11	273,451 0 11
1882	1,005	169	1,824	5,861,317	23,923	229,910 15 1	288,186 9 4
1883	1,046	188	1,960	6,264,300	25,162	261,812 16 3	326,674 0 5
1884	1,085	206	2,076	6,509,446	26,430	289,192 3 11	351,253 11 9
1885	1,115	202	2,155	6,621,996	26,683	316,171 12 11	375,964 17 6

No. 140.—Number of Letters, &c., passed through the Post Offices of the Colony during 1885.

Number of Letters.		Number of Newspapers.		Packets and Book Parcels.		Total.		
Foreign.	Inland and Town.	Foreign.	Inland.	Inland.	Foreign.	Letters.	Newspapers	Packets, &c.
1,852,400	12,614,500	1,508,300	5,408,900	304,400	109,500	14,466,900	6,917,200	413,900
1,979,500	14,529,500	1,652,000	6,733,000	263,600	135,000	16,509,000	8,385,000	398,600
2,220,600	15,939,300	1,657,600	7,811,600	403,700	133,100	18,159,900	9,469,200	536,800
2,442,700	16,964,600	2,020,000	9,447,100	459,200	136,300	19,407,300	11,467,100	595,500
2,776,000	18,956,500	2,381,200	11,409,800	565,000	146,600	21,732,500	13,791,800	711,600
3,159,400	23,196,200	2,726,400	13,801,500	670,800	180,500	26,355,600	16,527,900	851,300
3,589,200	25,737,300	2,720,600	15,361,700	1,044,200	218,600	29,326,500	18,082,300	1,262,800
4,168,100	31,258,300	3,014,500	16,562,800	1,379,200	269,700	35,426,400	19,577,300	1,648,900
4,947,200	37,289,800	3,689,600	21,373,900	2,705,900	316,200	42,237,000	25,063,500	3,022,100
5,328,200	34,023,000	3,987,900	21,579,500	2,894,200	552,600	39,351,200	25,567,400	3,446,800

No. 141.—Electric Telegraph: Number of Stations and Telegrams, Revenue, Miles of Wire, and Cost of Construction, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	No. of Stations.	No. of Telegrams.	Total Receipts.	Earned by New South Wales Lines.	No. of Miles of Wire.	Cost of Construction.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	171	858,301	80,329 10 1	59,348 11 6	8,472	271,890 0 0
1877	190	1,001,884	96,357 10 2	65,045 6 0	9,761	343,973 4 8
1878	236	1,132,287	98,125 8 7	76,226 18 11	11,760	413,258 4 2
1879	273	1,175,218	103,033 4 9	80,490 0 6	12,426	437,120 5 3
1880	289	1,319,537	123,172 4 5	84,110 4 8	13,188	462,225 12 0
1881	318	1,607,206	125,335 17 2	98,664 17 4	14,278	492,211 6 5
1882	345	1,965,931	153,554 11 4	120,265 13 4	15,901	536,399 10 3
1883	368	2,107,288	165,276 4 10	134,643 2 4	17,272	564,315 19 4
1884	394	2,334,052	176,260 13 7	146,386 8 2	18,681	601,459 13 2
1885	404	2,625,992	191,191 17 4	155,073 10 3	19,864	641,669 0 7

No. 142.—Money Orders issued and payable in the Colony during the year 1885.

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Number of Money Order Offices in New South Wales.....427.

Revenue received for Commission on Orders.....£14,243 5s. 6d.

Issued in New South Wales, and payable—	Issued in 1885.		Payable in New South Wales, and issued—	Issued in 1885.	
	No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
In the United Kingdom .....	34,274	138,432 17 2	In the United Kingdom .....	4,857	18,981 19 0
Germany.....	505	2,285 5 0	Germany.....	29	86 9 5
New South Wales.....	259,808	863,407 10 1	New South Wales.....	259,264	861,626 0 5
New Zealand .....	3,238	13,452 17 4	New Zealand .....	4,397	14,395 14 8
Queensland .....	5,241	20,471 1 1	Queensland .....	11,690	47,303 17 3
South Australia.....	3,743	14,015 11 5	South Australia .....	2,611	8,162 11 8
Tasmania .....	1,421	5,289 4 7	Tasmania .....	2,057	6,608 2 9
Victoria .....	26,216	91,121 16 10	Victoria .....	11,527	35,961 4 4
Western Australia.....	100	337 11 4	Western Australia.....	233	806 6 3
Hongkong .....	665	4,478 13 6	Hongkong .....	41	133 7 1
India .....	1,102	8,976 12 6	India .....	783	1,880 19 6
United States.....	1,139	4,873 18 10	Cape of Good Hope .....	252	588 4 10
Cape of Good Hope .....	93	527 13 5	United States.....	222	1,026 3 0
Canada .....	111	546 12 9	Canada .....	36	176 12 10
Ceylon .....	8	18 12 4	Natal .....	64	151 1 6
Italy .....	84	729 8 5	Mauritius .....	6	14 5 9
Sweden .....	47	268 7 6	Norway .....	3	12 18 10
Norway .....	24	135 8 0	Denmark.....	2	10 12 9
Denmark .....	13	74 0 6	Switzerland .....	3	27 2 10
Switzerland .....	5	34 10 0	Malta and other Countries .....	5	7 4 5
Malta .....	5	32 8 3			
Egypt and other Countries .....	9	43 5 0			
Mauritius .....	5	16 0 0			
Total .....	337,856	1,169,569 5 10	Total .....	298,082	997,960 19 1

No. 143.—Number and Amount of Money Orders issued and paid in the Colony, 1876–85.

Year.	Issued.		Paid.		Year.	Issued.		Paid.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1876	112,684	465,770 10 11	101,492	421,161 15 8	1881	220,670	771,977 15 3	195,757	675,025 9 10
1877	129,120	494,468 19 2	120,493	450,476 15 9	1882	247,716	883,523 14 5	218,334	771,860 10 4
1878	142,025	538,799 17 8	129,143	487,458 6 3	1883	275,592	963,698 8 8	239,595	829,770 0 5
1879	159,897	582,422 14 8	142,201	515,075 17 11	1884	305,883	1,068,068 5 3	270,678	921,904 6 7
1880	190,606	669,022 3 5	168,944	583,340 1 1	1885	337,856	1,169,569 5 10	298,082	997,960 19 0

No. 144.—Amount of Money paid out of the Revenues of the Colony on account of Immigration.

Year.	Expenses in England in connection with Immigration.	Gratuities to Surgeon-superintendents, Masters, Officers, Overseers, and others.	Lodging, Maintenance, Conveyance, and other Expenses of Immigrants after arrival, also Salaries, and Contingent Expenses.	Immigration: Remittances under the Regulations, including Commission on Collection and Refunds to Depositors.	Passage money of Immigrants.	Expenses of Quarantine.	Miscellaneous.	Total Outlay.	Number of Immigrants, the cost of whose introduction was paid by the Government.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1876	6,217 6 3	1,780 2 0	973 16 6	11,161 14 9	6,822 7 6	.....	54 3 0	27,009 10 0	1,463
1877	31,162 8 2	6,398 11 0	1,113 5 7	1,708 13 11	34,285 3 6	146 17 8	193 0 6	75,008 0 4	6,018
1878	52,051 10 0	6,124 16 6	1,463 13 3	877 10 0	33,202 18 1	1,841 1 0	23 6 6	95,584 15 4	5,190
1879	38,546 7 0	6,073 5 0	2,646 13 6	21,981 16 4	34,187 3 5	15 0 0	315 5 4	103,765 10 7	5,731
1880	19,532 15 1	2,808 10 0	2,310 9 8	2,326 0 0	17,610 18 10	409 8 0	603 10 2	45,601 11 9	3,134
1881	14,403 12 1	2,773 11 3	11,650 10 1	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,887 13 5	2,577
1882	26,057 4 7	3,725 15 1	16,347 10 7	.....	.....	.....	.....	46,130 10 3	3,233
1883	58,289 12 3	8,028 19 6	3,461 5 7	.....	42,539 3 0	.....	.....	112,319 0 4	8,369
1884	65,886 18 4	8,925 7 0	4,178 7 4	3,300 0 0	49,735 8 10	.....	150 0 0	132,176 1 6	7,568
1885	48,760 13 9	4,056 1 6	3,897 2 5	13,354 15 0	35,384 8 0	.....	493 3 11	105,896 4 7	5,554

**No. 145.—Expenditure incurred by the Colony during the year 1885  
on account of its Defence, and for Military and Naval Services.**

MILITARY.		£
Repairs to Military and Volunteer Buildings .....	2,357	
Victoria Barracks—Lighting, &c. ....	214	
Ordnance and Barrack Department, Gunpowder Magazines, and Warlike Stores .....	23,058	
Completion of Fortifications, Port Jackson .....	7,649	
Improvements, Rifle Range .....	200	
Works of Defence .....	7,875	
Military Road .....	310	
La Perouse Road .....	381	
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PERMANENT AND VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCES.		
General Staff .....	2,363	
Artillery Force .....	34,424	
Volunteer Force .....	77,737	
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NAVAL.		
Volunteer Naval Artillery .....	920	
Wolverene .....	10,769	
Naval Brigade .....	9,126	
Goodenough Royal Naval House .....	200	
Naval Depôts .....	48,567	
Torpedoes—Expenses in connection with .....	2,368	
	<hr/>	71,950
General Total .....		£228,518

**No. 146.—Government Railways of New South Wales: Operations  
during 1885.**

	Miles.
Length open for Traffic at the close of 1885 .....	1,732
In course of Construction .....	407
Total open for Traffic, or Constructing .....	2,139
On the 30th June, 1886 there were—	
Lines Open .....	1,774
Under Construction .....	386·5
Authorised .....	1,260·5
Total length .....	3,421
	£
Total Expenditure for Construction, at close of the year 1885 .....	24,962,972
"    on Lines open for Traffic .....	21,839,378
Expenditure for Railway Purposes, chargeable to Loans .....	24,189,094
Expenditure for Construction during 1885 .....	2,908,748
Rolling Stock—Locomotives .....	No. 390
Coaching Vehicles .....	856
Goods Vehicles .....	7,968
Train Mileage .....	Miles. 6,638,399
Passenger Traffic—	No.
First-class .....	2,435,204
Second-class .....	6,033,348
Season-ticket-holders .....	5,037,794
Total .....	13,506,346
Merchandise Traffic—	
Head of Live Stock carried .....	2,120,955
Bales of Wool .....	361,118
Tons of Coal .....	1,966,547
Tons of General Merchandise .....	1,139,724
	£
Earnings, per mile open .....	1,307
Expenditure " " .....	877
Net Earnings " " .....	430
Total Net Earnings .....	716,215

No. 147.—Government Tramways : Operations during 1885.

Length of Line open for Traffic in City and Suburbs .....	Miles. 27.5
Camden Line .....	7.5
Total length open for Traffic .....	35.0
	£
Expenditure from Capital, at the close of 1885, for all purposes .....	890,723
"    for Construction and Land .....	619,932
"    for Workshops, Machinery, &c. ....	270,791
"    on City and Suburban Lines open for Traffic.....	708,109
Average Cost per Mile .....	25,749
Total Revenue from all Lines .....	227,144
Total Expenditure .....	210,459
Total Net Earnings .....	16,685
	No.
Number of Passenger Fares in 1884 .....	30,202,303
"    "    1885 .....	39,594,753
Increase for the twelve months .....	9,392,450

PASSENGERS CARRIED ON TRAMWAYS SINCE OPENING OF THE LINE IN 1879.

Year.	Length of Tramway.	Number of Passengers.
1879	1½ miles	443,341
1880	4½ "	2,086,897
1881	11¼ "	7,090,125
1882	29½ "	15,296,238
1883	32½ "	25,713,433
1884	35 "	30,202,303
1885	35 "	39,594,753

No. 148.—Expenditure for Public Works and Buildings during the year 1885.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.		£	s.	d.
Roads .....		530,455	18	3
Bridges and Culverts.....		147,351	2	4
Tanks .....		82,692	18	11
Punts and Approaches .....		16,800	16	10
Miscellaneous .....		16,303	0	1
Total expended in 1885.....		£793,603	16	5
Road Trusts (part from Tolls).....		8,703	16	11
Sewerage Works .....		170,766	0	0
HARBOURS AND RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY.				
Water Supply, Sydney and Suburbs .....		311,887	5	2
"    Country Towns .....		113,103	7	0
Harbour Works and Wharfrage, Sydney District.....		108,349	7	7
"    Hunter River and Newcastle.....		21,494	0	10
"    Lake Macquarie .....		12,040	6	10
"    Clarence River.....		21,115	12	8
"    Other Districts.....		60,635	0	5
Cockatoo Island, Fitzroy Dock, and New Dock.....		40,526	14	4
Total Expenditure during 1885 .....		£689,151	14	10
COLONIAL ARCHITECT'S DEPARTMENT.				
Public Buildings and Repairs—Sydney .....	£119,818	19	6	
"    "    Suburbs .....	82,005	5	11	
"    "    Country .....	196,284	5	7	
		398,108	11	0
Furniture .....		30,772	14	8
Total Expenditure during 1885 .....		£428,881	5	8

**No. 149.—Summary of Expenditure on Public Works during 1885.**

	£
Railways—Expenditure for Construction .....	2,908,748
Tramways                   "                   " .....	101,378
Electric Telegraphs—Expenditure for Construction.....	32,727
Roads and Bridges, &c.                   "                   " .....	802,308
Sewerage                                   "                   " .....	170,766
Water Supply                               "                   " .....	424,991
Harbour and River Works               "                   " .....	264,161
Public Buildings—Construction and Maintenance .....	428,881
Public School Buildings, &c.....	157,933
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	£5,291,893

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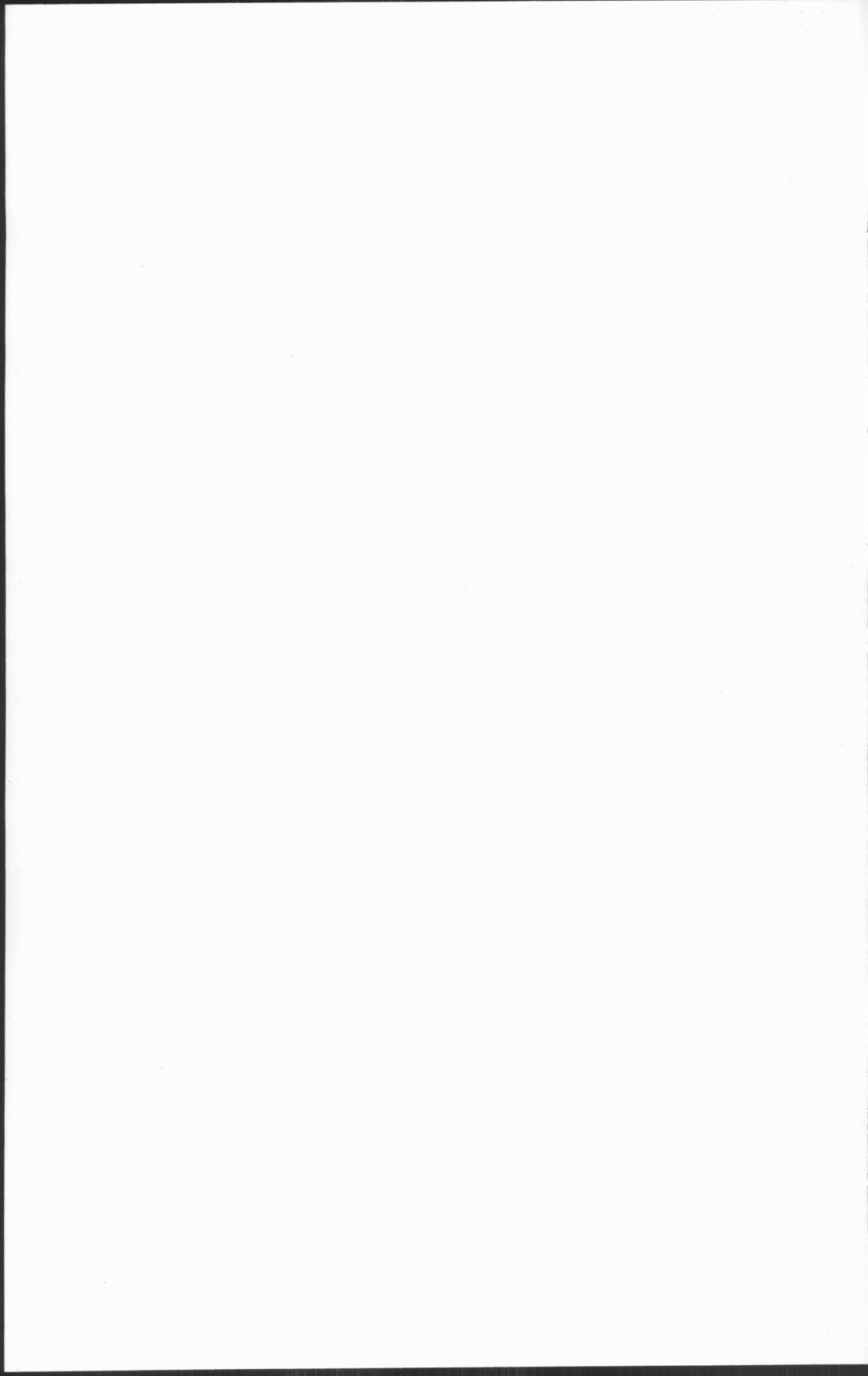
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Size of Holding.		1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
1 to	5 acres	2,561	2,838	3,276	3,076	2,919	2,968	3,100	3,492
6 to	15 "	2,115	2,136	2,274	2,106	2,205	2,177	2,309	2,385
16 to	30 "	2,236	2,227	2,160	2,129	2,141	2,243	2,375	2,375
31 to	50 "	5,194	5,510	5,216	5,147	5,027	4,924	5,156	5,124
51 to	100 "	6,510	6,775	6,459	6,512	6,365	6,395	6,627	6,691
101 to	200 "	6,420	6,790	6,810	6,577	6,474	6,608	6,840	6,977
201 to	300 "	3,028	3,230	3,304	3,202	3,197	3,299	3,511	3,510
301 to	400 "	2,885	2,969	2,550	2,551	2,563	2,670	2,852	2,775
401 to	500 "	1,177	1,272	1,313	1,302	1,387	1,439	1,591	1,596
501 to	600 "	777	848	941	881	936	982	1,015	1,111
601 to	700 "	1,674	1,780	1,452	1,630	2,014	2,311	2,493	2,510
701 to	800 "	355	455	448	439	466	527	560	537
801 to	900 "	269	268	338	336	384	367	400	417
901 to	1,000 "	346	341	341	371	372	405	438	446
1,001 to	1,500 "	802	797	981	965	1,038	1,094	1,276	1,193
1,501 to	2,000 "	357	415	486	505	512	573	610	618
2,001 to	3,000 "	387	372	515	489	536	547	580	627
3,001 to	4,000 "	162	189	235	224	260	251	261	273
4,001 to	5,000 "	102	120	166	144	158	165	175	147
5,001 to	7,500 "	149	161	186	197	217	218	228	208
7,501 to	10,000 "	84	98	127	122	126	159	169	151
10,001 to	15,000 "	91	115	135	157	133	124	130	171
15,001 to	20,000 "	52	59	78	75	94	83	94	86
20,001 to	30,000 "	51	47	71	75	82	85	94	102
30,001 to	40,000 "	36	36	34	45	50	56	65	44
40,001 and upwards...		67	70	96	97	104	123	130	160

**No. 151.—Average of the Area of Holdings in the Electoral Districts of the Colony, in the years 1881-82 and 1885-86.**

Electoral Districts.	Average for 1881-82.	Average for 1885-86.	Electoral Districts.	Average for 1881-82.	Average for 1885-86.
Albury .....	503	474	Kiama .....	116	108
Argyle .....	554	667	Liverpool .....	219	165
Bairnald .....	5,236	10,049	Macleay .....	145	153
Bogan .....	1,129	1,852	Macquarie East .....	319	388
Burrova .....	955	716	"    West .....	324	343
Bourke .....	740	2,983	Maitland East .....	136	144
Braidwood .....	381	389	Molong .....	528	591
Berrima .....	246	267	Monaro .....	1,181	1,093
Camden .....	256	260	Morpeth .....	118	91
Campbelltown .....	210	190	Mudgee .....	316	311
Carcoar .....	483	579	The Murray .....	3,601	6,119
Clarence .....	116	117	The Murrumbidgee .....	3,052	3,476
Central Cumberland .....	67	77	The Namoi .....	1,399	2,010
Durham .....	424	351	The Nepean .....	245	200
Eden .....	392	411	Newcastle .....	141	129
Forbes .....	618	876	New England .....	753	895
Glen Innes .....	501	1,072	Northumberland .....	150	186
Gloucester .....	579	632	Orange .....	301	302
Goulburn .....	35	29	Patrick's Plains .....	707	647
Grafton .....	172	265	Pictou .....	268	255
Grenfell .....	1,732	1,897	Queanbeyan .....	860	900
Gundagai .....	958	1,149	The Richmond .....	371	310
Gunnedah .....	3,720	3,762	Shoalhaven .....	180	177
Gwydir .....	1,694	2,146	Tamworth .....	1,160	593
Hartley .....	278	286	Tenterfield .....	276	266
Hastings and Manning .....	165	197	Tumut .....	408	459
Hawkesbury .....	137	116	Wellington .....	431	517
Hume .....	1,410	1,968	Wentworth .....	1,003	5,212
Hunter .....	201	191	Wollombi .....	234	212
"    Upper .....	1,105	1,399	Yass Plains .....	730	759
Illawarra .....	103	123	Young .....	1,150	1,052
Inverell .....	1,127	477			

**No. 152.—Number of Holdings of various sizes in each year, during the period 1879-86.**

Size of Holding.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
1 to 15 acres..	4,676	4,974	5,550	5,186	5,124	5,154	5,409	5,877
15 to 200 " ..	20,360	21,302	20,645	20,361	20,007	20,161	20,998	21,174
200 to 400 " ..	5,913	6,199	5,854	5,753	5,760	5,969	6,363	6,285
400 to 1,000 " ..	4,598	4,964	4,733	4,959	5,559	6,031	6,497	6,617
1,000 to 2,000 " ..	1,159	1,212	1,467	1,470	1,540	1,667	1,886	1,811
2,000 to 10,000 " ..	884	940	1,229	1,176	1,297	1,350	1,413	1,406
10,000 and upwards...	297	327	414	449	463	461	513	563



No. 153.—RETURN shewing state of Agriculture in the Colony during the year ended 31 March, 186.

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NOTE.—Lands leased from the Crown are not included.





No. 151.—Holdings of various sizes, and Proportion to Total Land in Occupation, during the year 1885–86.

Size of Holding.	No. of Holdings.	Area.	Leasehold. <i>a</i>	Total.	Percentage of Total Land in Holdings.
		acres.	acres.	acres.	
1 to 15 acres .....	5,877	22,946	20,405	33,351	086
15 „ 200 „ .....	21,174	1,437,736	432,290	1,870,021	4847
200 „ 400 „ .....	6,285	1,624,884	238,580	1,863,464	4830
400 „ 1,000 „ .....	6,617	3,793,616	361,451	4,155,067	10769
1,000 „ 2,000 „ .....	1,811	2,253,450	316,603	2,570,053	6661
2,000 „ 10,000 „ .....	1,406	5,158,010	612,820	5,770,830	14957
10,000 acres and upwards .....	563	21,043,460	1,276,477	22,319,937	57850
Total Holdings over 1 acre...	43,727	35,334,097	3,248,626	38,582,723	100

*a* Leased from private persons. Land leased from the Crown not included.

No. 155.—Average size of Holdings during the period 1876–86.

Year ended 31st March.	Average area of Holdings.	Year ended 31st March.	Average area of Holdings.
1876	315 acres.	1882	703 acres.
1877	459 „	1883	772 „
1878	481 „	1884	817 „
1879	564 „	1885	813 „
1880	569 „	1886	881 „
1881	691 „		

No. 156.—Number of Occupiers and extent of Holdings, &c., during each year for the period 1877–86.

Year ended 31st March.	Number of Occupiers of Land (excluding those for Pastoral purposes.)	Total extent of Holdings.	Extent of Land in Cultivation.	Extent of Land enclosed, but not in Cultivation.	Extent of Land unenclosed.
		acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1877	39,639	18,210,796	513,840	11,020,968	6,675,987
78	40,329	19,435,896	546,556	13,792,620	5,096,720
1879	37,887	21,471,596	613,642	15,903,803	4,954,150
1880	39,918	22,721,603	635,641	17,578,389	4,507,573
1881	40,302	27,873,498	710,337	21,437,914	5,725,247
1882	39,354	27,692,208	645,068	21,998,485	5,048,655
1883	39,760	30,714,349	733,582	24,977,047	5,003,719
1884	40,793	33,352,998	789,082	27,241,009	5,322,906
1885	43,078	35,035,504	852,017	29,319,775	4,863,711
1886	43,727	38,582,723	868,093	32,712,515	5,002,114



No. 157.—Total Value of Crops grown in the Colony during each year, for the period 1877–86.

Crops.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Wheat .....	747,493	733,652	859,831	812,985	745,407	808,916	1,010,599	869,087	683,051	846,627
Maize .....	533,436	710,361	663,087	476,185	677,834	1,136,876	710,086	1,021,185	560,547	722,693
Barley .....	39,185	24,871	33,018	19,731	20,425	20,282	26,610	18,636	20,469	12,841
Oats .....	63,513	80,742	67,187	77,540	44,516	62,399	77,184	56,495	53,240	34,888
Other Grain Crops .....	4,053	5,285	4,640	2,810	2,812	2,642	3,859	3,460	2,531	1,915
Potatoes .....	214,695	183,524	254,552	202,241	169,364	132,969	130,383	110,931	94,002	116,085
Hay and Green Fodder .....	798,630	809,514	776,088	732,523	479,162	1,390,285	728,871	859,861	840,978	962,615
Sugar .....	145,638	233,647	244,400	223,068	219,000	234,584	145,628	400,936	194,960	369,280
Tobacco .....	7,320	9,147	23,796	18,663	58,407	54,933	52,620	60,018	29,742	68,842
Wine and Grapes .....	179,785	158,367	160,256	169,148	155,295	126,557	138,326	147,562	118,338	146,941
Fruit .....	135,634	132,733	122,268	120,296	127,632	114,703	123,105	138,491	139,569	151,925
Minor Produce .....	93,570	88,290	120,270	116,110	230,940	109,140	157,620	119,520	99,270	241,230
Total Value of Crops £	2,953,952	3,170,133	3,329,393	2,971,300	2,930,794	4,194,346	3,304,891	3,806,182	2,836,697	3,375,882

No. 158.—Area of Land under different Crops during each year, for the period 1877–86.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Arrowroot.	Sorghum and Impehee.	Sugar-cane.		Sown Grasses, Oats, Wheat, and Barley, for Hay.	Vines.	Sown Grasses, Maize, Barley, Sorghum, &c., for green food for Cattle.	Gardens and Orchards.	Orangeries.	All other in Crop.	Total Number of Acres in Crop.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	Pro- ductive.	Unpro- ductive.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1877	145,608 $\frac{3}{4}$	116,364 $\frac{3}{4}$	5,662	21,828 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,277	242 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,171 $\frac{1}{2}$	333	53 $\frac{1}{2}$	51 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,524	3,231 $\frac{1}{2}$	111,946	4,457	61,516 $\frac{1}{2}$	20,453	...	3,119 $\frac{1}{2}$	513,840
1878	176,686 $\frac{3}{4}$	105,510	5,055	18,580 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,168 $\frac{1}{2}$	239 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,862 $\frac{1}{2}$	399	51 $\frac{1}{2}$	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,331 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,735 $\frac{1}{2}$	125,778	4,183 $\frac{1}{2}$	65,072 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,900 $\frac{1}{2}$	...	2,943	546,556
1879	233,252 $\frac{1}{2}$	130,582 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,152	22,129	1,302	254 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,724 $\frac{1}{2}$	835	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,949 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,489 $\frac{1}{2}$	104,095 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,237 $\frac{1}{2}$	60,249 $\frac{1}{2}$	18,017 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,287	4,008 $\frac{1}{2}$	613,642 $\frac{1}{2}$
1880	233,368 $\frac{1}{2}$	135,034	6,130 $\frac{1}{2}$	23,883 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,016 $\frac{1}{2}$	86	19,271	592	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,675 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,102 $\frac{1}{2}$	112,413 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,266 $\frac{1}{2}$	64,643 $\frac{1}{2}$	18,130 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,106	3,870 $\frac{1}{2}$	635,641
1881	253,137 $\frac{1}{2}$	127,196	8,056	17,922 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,095 $\frac{1}{2}$	211 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,095 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,791 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,465 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,506 $\frac{1}{2}$	131,152 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,800 $\frac{1}{2}$	102,540 $\frac{1}{2}$	18,626	5,939 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,608 $\frac{1}{2}$	710,337 $\frac{1}{2}$
1882	221,887 $\frac{1}{2}$	117,478 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,426 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,347	889 $\frac{1}{2}$	200 $\frac{1}{2}$	15,943 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,625	126 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,983 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,184 $\frac{1}{2}$	146,610 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,027 $\frac{1}{2}$	75,825 $\frac{1}{2}$	15,541 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,301 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,638 $\frac{1}{2}$	645,068
1883	247,361	118,180	6,473 $\frac{1}{2}$	24,817	1,031 $\frac{1}{2}$	200 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,462 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,815	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	6,362 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,176 $\frac{1}{2}$	179,567	4,448	92,606 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,060 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,716 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,253	733,582 $\frac{1}{2}$
1884	289,757	123,634 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,081	17,810 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,140 $\frac{1}{2}$	284 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,953 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,785 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	64	7,583	7,401 $\frac{1}{2}$	178,503 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,378 $\frac{1}{2}$	107,993 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,455	7,268 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,982 $\frac{1}{2}$	789,082 $\frac{1}{2}$
1885	275,240 $\frac{1}{2}$	115,600 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,035 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,472 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,110 $\frac{1}{2}$	118 $\frac{1}{2}$	12,417 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,046	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	41	6,997	10,520 $\frac{1}{2}$	226,646 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,584	140,528 $\frac{1}{2}$	20,416 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,911 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,309	852,017
1886	264,867	132,709	5,297 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,117	666	266 $\frac{1}{2}$	15,166	1,603	68	51	9,583 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,835 $\frac{1}{2}$	219,886 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,247 $\frac{1}{2}$	156,710	19,245 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,733 $\frac{1}{2}$	8,040 $\frac{1}{2}$	868,093 $\frac{1}{2}$

**No. 159.—Produce raised in the Colony during each year, for the period 1877–86.**

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Arrowroot.	Sorghum and Luphee (Grain).	Sugar.	Wheat, Barley, Oats, and Sown Grasses for Hay.	Vines.			Oranges.
													Wine.	Brandy.	Fruit for Table use.	
	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	bshls.	tons	cwt.	lb.	cwt.	lb.	tons.	galls.	galls.	tons.	No. of doz.
1877	3,319,979	3,879,537	134,158	461,916	22,277	4,400	42,938 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,440	86,458	1,290	10,523,520	159,660 $\frac{1}{2}$	799,709	2,968 $\frac{1}{2}$	917 $\frac{3}{4}$	.....
1878	2,445,507	3,551,806	99,485	358,853	19,184	3,877	34,957 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,049	83,554	2,745	16,883,328	154,076	708,431	1,481 $\frac{1}{2}$	797 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....
1879	3,439,326	4,420,580	132,072	447,912	22,563	5,023	53,590	7,932 $\frac{1}{2}$	47,484	1,735	18,278,736	172,406 $\frac{1}{2}$	684,733	2,540	1,102	3,398,445
1880	3,613,266	4,761,856	131,541	516,937	16,873	1,855	62,227 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,221 $\frac{1}{2}$	38,531	395	17,229,296	162,763 $\frac{1}{2}$	733,576	4,186 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,017 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,763,811
1881	3,717,355	4,518,897	163,395	356,121	16,814	5,680	52,111 $\frac{1}{2}$	19,469 $\frac{1}{2}$	33,865	840	16,352,336	174,195	602,007	6,628	1,579 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,810,356
1882	3,405,966	4,330,956	135,218 $\frac{1}{2}$	356,566	14,677 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,519	44,323	18,311 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,412	2,035	17,813,376	198,531 $\frac{1}{2}$	513,688 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,522	1,102 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,164,134
1883	4,042,395	4,057,035	133,050	617,465	17,380 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,066 $\frac{1}{2}$	43,466 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,540 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,034	627 $\frac{1}{2}$	11,650,688	242,921 $\frac{1}{2}$	543,596	1,614	1,440 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,978,829
1884	4,345,437	4,538,604	106,496	376,635	16,274	4,078 $\frac{1}{2}$	36,976 $\frac{1}{2}$	20,006 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,090	1,014 $\frac{1}{2}$	35,220,640	229,242 $\frac{1}{2}$	589,604	4,162	1,377 $\frac{3}{4}$	8,102,658
1885	4,271,394	2,989,585	148,869	425,920	16,739	1,843	31,334 $\frac{1}{2}$	9,914 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,027	187	21,835,072	280,311 $\frac{3}{4}$	442,612	1,432	1,465 $\frac{1}{4}$	4,097,666
1886	2,733,133	4,330,163	85,606 $\frac{1}{4}$	279,107	7,846	6,685 $\frac{1}{2}$	38,695	22,947 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,970	1,145	41,359,360	191,378 $\frac{1}{2}$	555,470	3,893	1,695	8,749,256

**No. 160.—Area of Land under Wheat: Total Yield per Acre for each year, from 1862–86.**

Year ended 31st March.	Area of Crop.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.	Year ending 31st March.	Area of Crop.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.
1862	123,468	1,606,034	13'01	1875	166,911	2,148,394	12'87
1863	108,136	1,054,954	9'75	1876	133,609	1,958,640	14'66
1864	103,942	808,919	7'78	1877	145,608	2,391,979	16'43
1865	104,568	1,246,458	11'92	1878	176,686	2,455,507	13'84
1866	131,053	1,013,863	7'69	1879	233,252	3,439,326	14'74
1867	175,933	2,226,027	12'72	1880	233,368	3,613,266	15'48
1868	149,142	1,433,807	9'61	1881	253,137	3,717,355	14'69
1869	164,206	1,787,085	10'88	1882	221,887	3,405,966	15'35
1870	189,452	3,200,959	16'89	1883	247,361	4,042,395	16'35
1871	147,997	999,595	6'75	1884	289,757	4,345,347	15'00
1872	154,030	2,229,642	14'48	1885	275,225	4,271,304	15'52
1873	177,551	2,898,463	16'32	1886	264,867	2,768,330	10'45
1874	169,330	2,273,620	13'43	Average yield for twenty-five years .....			13'07

No. 161.—Comparative Statement, showing the Production of Wheat in the

Districts.	Electoral Districts.	Area of Districts in Acres.	Year ended 31st March, 1882.				Year ended 31st	
			Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.	Average per Acre.	Total Rainfall, year 1881.	Area under Wheat.	Production, in bushels.
			acres.		bshls.	in.	acres.	
Goulburn .....	{ Argyll .....	1,653,145	8,636	135,113	15·6	20·5	9,598	167,747
	{ Goulburn .....							
Yass .....	{ Burrowa .....	2,399,436	10,808	164,363	15·2	20·4	12,552	220,413
	{ Yass Plains .....							
Wellington and The Bogan .....	{ Wellington .....	10,484,774	8,321	112,561	13·5	13·3	10,463	169,842
	{ The Bogan .....							
Monaro .....	{ Braidwood .....	5,675,096	9,832	161,529	16·4	20·6	10,253	170,319
	{ Queanbeyan .....							
	{ Monaro .....							
The Murray River Valley .....	{ Albury .....	8,045,644	38,928	419,808	10·8	18·7	38,705	478,724
	{ The Hume .....							
	{ The Murray .....							
Orange .....	{ Orange .....	3,297,279	37,429	647,334	17·3	18·4	45,045	807,511
	{ Molong .....							
	{ Carear .....							
Gundagai .....	{ Gundagai .....	1,002,828	9,150	166,900	18·2	20·3	12,004	219,538
Forbes .....	{ Forbes .....	10,089,267	5,215	85,788	16·5	18·8	5,858	66,201
	{ Grenfell .....							
The Murrumbidgee .....	{ The Murrumbidgee .....	10,788,032	5,638	79,682	14·1	15·6	4,357	63,271
Tamworth .....	{ Tamworth .....	2,457,600	10,600	183,638	17·3	19·3	11,750	195,780
New England .....	{ New England .....	4,564,582	6,294	121,136	19·2	22·8	7,687	162,422
	{ The Namoi .....							
Gunnedah .....	{ The Gwydir .....	17,175,960	3,180	58,756	18·4	19·2	3,226	73,734
	{ Gunnedah .....							
	{ The Macleay .....							
	{ The Hastings and Manning .....							
The Coast (North) .....	{ The Clarence and Richmond .....	9,736,223	471	7,658	16·3	23·2	547	11,507
	{ Grafton .....							
	{ Gloucester .....							
Glen Innes .....	{ Glen Innes .....	6,311,117	7,428	145,401	19·5	20·6	8,771	182,976
	{ Inverell .....							
	{ Tenterfield .....							
Young .....	{ Young .....	1,299,251	13,316	233,268	17·1	20·4	16,750	269,234
	{ Morpeth .....							
	{ Newcastle .....							
	{ Patrick's Plains .....							
The Hunter River Valley .....	{ Durham .....	4,809,581	9,012	134,516	14·8	19·8	8,058	65,601
	{ The Hunter .....							
	{ East Maitland .....							
	{ West Maitland .....							
Bathurst .....	{ East Macquarie .....	1,074,842	23,834	335,315	14·5	21·2	25,573	392,493
	{ West Macquarie .....							
Mudgee .....	{ Mudgee .....	2,274,918	8,283	118,109	14·2	18·2	9,851	215,899
Tumut .....	{ Tumut .....	1,461,459	2,660	54,004	20·5	24·1	3,283	67,555
	{ Eden .....							
The Coast (South) .....	{ Shoalhaven .....	3,622,477	383	7,940	20·7	23·9	359	7,881
	{ Kiama .....							
	{ Illawarra .....							
	{ The Nepean .....							
	{ The Hawkesbury .....							
Hawkesbury and Nepean Valleys .....	{ Hartley .....	5,356,287	2,338	31,899	13·6	27·5	2,444	32,607
	{ Wollombi .....							
	{ Camden .....							
The Western District .....	{ Bourke .....	88,398,720	115	1,222	10·6	16·3	214	1,592
	{ Balranald .....							
	{ Wentworth .....							
The Metropolitan District .....	{ Sydney .....	505,993	..	..	..	..	....	....
	{ Central Cumberland .....							
	{ Canterbury, &c. ....							
	Totals .....	....	221,881	3,405,966	15·3	..	247,348	4,042,395

**Colony of New South Wales, for the five years ended 31st March, 1886.**

March, 1883.		Year ended 31st March, 1884.				Year ended 31st March, 1885.				Year ended 31st March, 1886.				Average Rainfall at Districts.															
Average per Acre.		Total Rainfall, year 1882.		Area under Wheat.		Production, in bushels.		Average per Acre.		Total Rainfall, year 1883.		Area under Wheat.		Production, in bushels.		Average per Acre.		Total Rainfall, year 1884.		Area under Wheat.		Production, in bushels.		Average per Acre.		Total Rainfall, year 1885.		Average Rainfall at Districts.	
bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	acres.	bushs.	in.	in.
17.3	18.5	9,452	126,406	13.3	16.6	9,230	168,963	17.1	16.0	5,661	63,942	9.5	22.7	25.8															
17.5	27.8	15,732	220,737	14.2	20.2	14,824	253,455	17.0	21.1	12,701	141,472	11.1	24.3	26.6															
16.2	21.1	12,722	189,519	14.1	16.0	12,700	219,140	17.2	20.3	11,153	71,236	6.4	20.9	19.0															
16.6	21.5	10,917	162,933	14.9	20.0	10,922	181,639	16.6	17.7	7,072	81,197	11.4	19.4	22.7															
12.3	18.7	45,403	627,318	13.6	10.1	45,792	441,786	9.6	15.9	50,097	607,028	12.1	20.5	21.7															
17.9	21.9	52,204	873,866	16.7	19.2	47,890	752,676	15.7	15.0	45,564	430,091	9.9	17.7	19.0															
18.2	22.8	15,300	245,230	15.8	16.7	15,412	284,468	18.4	17.6	18,438	210,578	11.4	22.5	21.0															
11.3	19.2	9,285	140,737	15.1	12.2	8,156	109,562	13.4	8.2	7,775	62,126	7.9	16.8	15.5															
14.5	17.9	13,143	189,460	14.4	15.5	11,799	169,818	14.4	12.0	19,793	159,068	8.0	16.4	15.4															
16.6	26.3	14,275	229,367	16.0	25.3	12,644	206,518	16.3	19.7	12,838	130,604	10.1	21.7	25.6															
21.1	28.3	7,836	151,803	19.3	32.0	7,486	150,928	20.1	23.8	6,201	95,461	15.4	26.1	29.8															
22.7	22.7	3,436	53,843	15.7	14.2	3,617	57,402	15.9	19.6	4,114	35,924	8.7	16.6	23.9															
21.0	28.0	531	11,794	22.2	34.3	503	9,232	13.2	26.9	270	4,500	16.6	25.9	33.6															
20.8	24.1	8,321	161,270	19.6	29.4	9,465	194,179	20.5	20.7	8,241	158,807	19.2	27.1	26.5															
16.7	27.8	21,964	203,279	13.4	20.2	13,978	332,310	17.5	21.1	21,582	215,092	9.9	24.3	26.6															
8.0	14.2	8,257	127,624	15.4	24.0	7,750	121,332	15.6	18.3	6,490	54,414	8.4	26.5	19.0															
15.3	21.6	21,456	257,070	11.9	21.8	20,269	301,581	14.8	19.5	12,858	105,896	8.2	20.8	23.6															
21.9	21.5	12,163	172,196	14.1	19.8	11,586	209,941	18.1	19.8	10,125	63,874	6.3	24.5	24.6															
20.5	33.0	3,698	70,601	19.0	28.1	2,926	69,919	23.6	22.0	2,185	31,120	14.2	26.8	28.5															
20.5	20.8	364	8,210	22.6	21.5	261	6,005	23.0	23.5	141	2,430	17.1	22.2	27.4															
13.3	19.2	2,764	38,604	13.9	29.5	2,797	39,047	13.2	24.2	1,333	17,051	12.8	23.1	33.2															
7.4	17.6	230	2,430	10.8	14.0	159	1,500	9.4	11.2	220	1,207	5.5	20.8	15.3															
..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..															
16.3	..	280,733	4,345,437	14.9	..	275,225	4,271,394	15.5	..	294,861	2,733,133	10.4	..	..															

No. 162.—Proportion of Land under Wheat and Yield per Acre, in the chief Wheat-growing Districts of the Colony.

District.	Proportion of Land under Wheat to whole Area of District.	Average yield per Acre
	Acres.	
Bathurst .....	1 in 51	12'9
Young .....	70	14'9
Gundagai .....	71	16'4
Orange, Molong, and Carcoar .....	72	15'5
Yass and Burrowa .....	180	15'0
Murray Valley .....	183	11'7
Goulburn .....	194	14'6
Tamworth .....	198	15'3
Mudgee .....	218	14'9
Tumut .....	495	19'5
Monaro .....	591	15'2
Hunter Valley .....	607	12'4
New England .....	642	19'0
Glen Innes, Inverell, Tenterfield .....	747	19'8
Wellington and Bogan .....	947	13'4
Murrumbidgee .....	980	13'0
Forbes and Grenfell .....	1,390	12'8
Gunnedah .....	4,886	16'3

No. 163.—Value of Wheat and Flour Imported into the Colony since the year 1870 from Victoria and South Australia.

Year.	Value of Imports from South Australia.		Value of Imports from Victoria.	
	Wheat.	Flour.	Wheat.	Flour.
£	£	£	£	£
1870	76,397	123,958	20,758	33,986
1871	260,346	201,903	6,205	33,992
1872	105,523	205,042	7,833	7,715
1873	144,592	201,332	539	17,677
1874	141,675	230,251	1,423	4,180
1875	197,263	289,385	1,514	1,296
1876	187,444	295,371	902	2,188
1877	154,284	261,918	9,765	32,305
1878	116,089	251,246	34,401	153,126
1879	63,973	221,174	13,280	76,310
1880	42,340	263,546	43,249	126,142
1881	19,406	269,342	33,165	113,796
1882	62,117	321,127	23,680	194,823
1883	9,195	229,617	38,794	237,342
1884	36,460	299,274	23,907	216,546
1885	31,236	219,320	23,433	291,999

No. 164.—Average Yearly Import, Export, and Production of Breadstuffs, with Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Produce, for the years 1862–85 (in quinquennial periods).

Period of which an average has been taken.	Imports.				Exports.				Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.				Total available for Food.	Consumption of Wheat per head.	Home Produce per head.	Deficiency per head.
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.		Acreage under Crop.	Wheat required for Seed.	Wheat-crop.	Balance available for Food.				
	Cwt.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Cwt.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bhls.	Bhls.	Bhls.
	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per an.	Average per annum.	Average per an.	Average per an.	Average per an.	Average per an.	Average per annum.	Average per an.	Average per an.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Average per annum.	Per an.	Per an.	Per an.
1862–66	426,757	1,066,892	801,765	1,868,658	169,074	422,686	26,156	448,842	1,419,815	114,353	342,942	1,146,054	1,003,112	2,422,927	6'2	2'5	3'7
1867–71	362,216	905,540	750,705	1,656,245	118,044	295,110	34,891	330,002	1,326,243	165,162	206,452	1,949,494	1,743,042	3,069,285	6'4	3'6	2'8
1872–76	404,844	1,012,110	838,388	1,850,498	82,967	207,418	95,801	313,219	1,547,279	160,286	200,357	2,301,679	2,101,322	3,648,602	6'4	3'7	2'7
1877–81	611,656	1,529,140	545,914	2,075,054	143,368	358,421	103,755	462,173	1,612,878	208,410	260,512	3,121,486	2,860,974	4,473,852	6'4	4'0	2'4
1882–85	934,862	2,337,156	490,206	2,824,862	286,314	715,785	59,907	775,694	2,051,668	258,701	323,376	4,018,414	3,695,037	5,746,706	6'6	4'2	2'4
General average for the 24 years.....															6'4	3'6	2'8

No. 165.—Import, Export, and Growth of Breadstuffs for each year, from 1862 to 1885; also, Consumption per Head and Deficiency of Home Consumption.

Year.	Imports.				Exports.				Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce.			Balance available for Food.	Total available for Food.	Consumption of Wheat per Head.	Home Produce per Head.	Deficiency.
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.		Acres.	For Seed.	Wheat Crop.					
	cwt.	bushls.	bushls.	bushls.	cwt.	bushls.	bushls.	bushls.	bushls.	acres.	bushls.	bushls.	bushls.	bushls.	bhls.	bhls.	bhls.
1862	293,460	733,650	446,640	1,180,290	115,980	289,950	15,441	305,391	874,899	123,468	154,335	1,606,084	1,451,749	2,326,648	6'5	4'0	2'5
1863	284,980	712,450	612,366	1,324,816	143,880	359,950	9,401	369,411	955,405	108,137	135,171	1,054,954	919,783	1,875,188	5'0	2'4	2'6
1864	472,265	1,180,662	1,163,914	2,344,576	161,200	403,000	18,682	421,682	1,922,894	103,942	129,927	808,919	678,992	2,601,886	6'7	1'7	5'0
1865	486,440	1,216,100	692,826	1,908,926	191,680	479,200	15,307	494,507	1,414,419	104,568	130,710	1,246,451	1,115,741	2,530,160	6'3	2'8	3'5
1866	596,640	1,491,600	1,093,081	2,584,681	232,533	581,332	71,890	653,222	1,931,459	131,653	164,566	1,013,863	849,297	2,780,756	6'6	2'0	4'6
1867	329,100	822,750	755,973	1,578,723	134,138	335,345	78,480	413,825	1,164,898	175,033	218,791	2,226,027	2,007,236	3,172,134	7'2	4'6	2'6
1868	404,840	1,012,100	609,011	1,621,111	149,188	372,970	12,974	385,944	1,235,167	149,142	186,427	1,433,807	1,247,380	2,482,547	5'4	2'7	2'7
1869	326,020	815,050	777,408	1,592,458	121,111	302,777	31,499	344,276	1,258,182	164,206	205,257	1,887,085	1,681,828	2,940,010	6'2	3'5	2'7
1870	387,900	969,750	569,638	1,539,388	100,375	250,937	22,914	273,851	1,265,537	189,452	236,815	3,200,959	2,964,144	4,229,681	8'6	6'0	2'6
1871	363,220	908,050	1,041,496	1,949,546	85,409	213,523	28,591	242,114	1,707,432	147,977	184,971	999,595	814,624	2,522,056	4'9	1'6	3'3
1872	330,280	840,700	631,299	1,471,999	71,160	177,900	94,680	272,580	1,199,419	154,030	192,537	2,229,642	2,037,105	3,236,524	6'1	3'8	2'3
1873	342,160	855,400	818,845	1,674,245	85,099	212,747	76,969	289,716	1,384,529	177,551	221,938	2,898,463	2,676,525	4,061,054	7'4	4'9	2'5
1874	347,880	869,700	740,019	1,609,719	85,415	213,537	27,901	241,438	1,368,281	169,330	211,662	2,273,260	2,061,598	3,429,879	6'0	3'6	2'4
1875	518,040	1,295,100	1,083,773	2,378,873	102,692	256,730	230,679	487,409	1,891,464	166,911	208,638	2,148,394	1,939,756	3,831,220	6'5	3'3	3'2
1876	479,860	1,199,650	918,005	2,117,655	70,471	176,177	48,775	224,952	1,892,703	133,609	167,011	1,958,640	1,791,629	3,684,332	6'0	2'9	3'1
1877	427,560	1,068,900	823,526	1,892,426	110,351	275,877	126,553	402,430	1,489,996	145,608	182,010	2,391,979	2,209,969	3,699,965	5'8	3'5	2'3
1878	663,480	1,658,700	780,604	2,439,304	90,920	227,300	66,116	293,416	2,145,888	176,686	220,857	2,445,507	2,224,650	4,370,538	6'6	3'3	3'3
1879	563,300	1,408,250	442,849	1,851,099	60,617	151,542	52,231	203,773	1,647,326	233,252	291,565	3,439,326	3,147,761	4,795,087	6'9	4'5	2'4
1880	743,000	1,857,500	422,473	2,279,973	101,470	253,675	121,853	375,528	1,904,445	233,368	291,710	3,613,266	3,321,556	5,226,000	7'1	4'5	2'6
1881	660,940	1,652,350	260,118	1,912,468	353,484	883,710	152,022	1,035,732	876,736	253,137	316,421	3,717,315	3,400,934	4,277,670	5'6	4'4	1'2
1882	979,720	2,449,300	698,518	3,147,818	333,380	833,450	68,677	902,127	2,245,691	222,478	278,097	3,414,558	3,136,461	5,382,152	6'7	3'9	2'8
1883	800,960	2,002,400	247,099	2,249,499	309,018	772,545	71,961	844,506	1,404,993	247,348	309,185	4,042,356	3,733,171	5,138,164	6'1	4'4	1'7
1884	890,360	2,225,900	469,785	2,695,685	320,088	800,220	51,351	851,571	1,844,114	289,753	362,191	4,345,437	3,983,246	5,827,360	6'6	4'5	2'1
1885	1,068,410	2,671,025	545,423	3,216,448	182,770	456,925	47,047	504,572	2,711,876	275,225	344,031	4,271,304	3,927,273	6,639,149	7'1	4'2	2'9

**No. 166.—Average Yearly Consumption of Breadstuffs, Amount of Home Produce, and Deficiency per Head, for the period 1862–85.**

Period.	Average Yearly Consumption, per Head.	Average Home Produce Yearly, per Head.	Deficiency per Head, being the Net Import.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.
1862–66	6·2	2·5	3·7
1867–71	6·4	3·6	2·8
1872–76	6·4	3·7	2·7
1877–81	6·4	4·0	2·4
1882–85	6·6	4·2	2·4
Average, 24 years	6·4	3·6	2·8

**No. 167.—Consumption of Breadstuffs, Amount of Flour Imported and Manufactured in the Colony, and Percentage of Home Manufacture to Total Consumption, during the period 1862–85.**

Period.	Total Consumption of Flour, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour Imported for Home Consumption, in equivalent of Wheat.	Flour Manufactured in the Colony, in equivalent of Wheat.	Percentage of Flour Manufactured in Colony to whole Consumption.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
1862–66	2,422,928	644,206	1,788,722	73·5
1867–71	3,399,288	610,429	2,788,759	83·2
1872–76	3,951,820	804,692	3,147,128	79·6
1877–81	4,836,028	1,463,399	3,372,629	69·7
1881–85	5,746,706	1,621,423	4,125,283	71·8

The above figures denote the yearly average for each period.



No. 168.—Comparative Statement, showing the Production of Maize in the Colony of New South Wales, for the five years ended 31st March, 1886.

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Districts.	Electorates.	Year ended 31st March, 1882.			Year ended 31st March, 1883.			Year ended 31st March, 1884.			Year ended 31st March, 1885.			Year ended 31st March, 1886.		
		Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.	Area under Maize.	Production.	Average per Acre.
Tamworth and New England.	Tamworth and New England.	acres. 2,399	bushels. 44,481	bushels 18'5	acres. 2,993	bushels. 65,487	bushels 21'8	acres. 2,315	bushels. 43,969	bushels 18'9	acres. 1,555	bushels. 28,486	bushels 18'3	acres. 2,937	bushels. 55,959	bushels 19'0
	The Macleay .....	16,202	859,083	53'0	18,260	911,019	49'9	19,193	996,655	51'9	21,265	918,250	43'1	21,261	919,112	43'2
The North Coast	The Hastings & Manning .....	16,523	604,221	36'5	16,823	604,136	35'9	17,469	709,574	40'6	14,357	394,820	27'5	17,489	593,882	33'6
	The Clarence .....	9,701	463,770	47'8	9,646	481,652	49'9	10,727	388,934	36'2	10,973	421,645	38'4	14,212	478,521	33'6
	The Richmond .....	5,455	230,392	42'2	5,754	210,034	36'5	6,667	256,361	38'4	8,151	222,188	27'2	9,617	288,060	30'0
	Grafton .....	7,368	328,728	44'6	7,223	231,667	32'0	7,503	316,760	42'2	8,903	254,950	28'6	9,850	309,011	31'3
Glen Innes .....	Gloucester .....	2,119	62,264	29'3	1,981	57,676	29'1	2,327	76,874	33'0	2,368	45,410	19'1	2,511	74,804	29'7
	Glen Innes .....	3,834	80,590	21'0	5,527	137,570	24'9	5,232	119,492	22'8	4,428	84,239	19'0	5,735	138,115	23'8
	Tenterfield .....															
	Inverell .....															
The Hunter River Valley.	Morpeth .....															
	Newcastle .....	10,978	367,663	33'4	11,179	314,059	28'0	13,680	452,172	33'0	9,788	212,726	21'7	12,278	366,053	29'8
	Patrick Plains .....															
	Durham .....															
Mudgee .....	The Hunter .....															
	The Upper Hunter .....															
Tumut .....	East & West Maitland .....	3,757	64,919	17'3	1,694	30,013	17'7	2,119	41,870	19'7	2,403	42,363	17'6	2,633	59,901	22'8
	Tumut .....	1,617	52,025	32'1	2,013	67,600	33'5	1,512	48,285	31'9	2,229	69,340	31'1	2,550	113,655	44'5
The South Coast	Eden .....	13,875	509,382	36'7	13,481	469,508	34'8	13,955	474,461	34'0	11,184	349,813	31'2	11,710	392,374	33'5
	Shoalhaven .....															
	Kiama .....															
	Illawarra .....															
The Hawkesbury and the Nepean Rivers Valleys.	The Hawkesbury .....	14,504	492,508	33'9	13,408	306,986	22'9	14,900	517,904	34'7	13,234	287,602	21'7	13,646	451,714	33'1
	The Nepean .....															
	Hartley .....															
	Wollombi .....															
Other Districts of the Colony where maize is not grown in large quantities.	Camden .....	9,146	170,930	18'7	8,198	169,628	20'7	6,035	95,293	15'7	4,762	57,673	12'1	6,280	95,002	15'1
	General Totals and Averages....															
		117,478	4,330,956	36'9	118,180	4,057,635	34'3	123,634	4,538,604	36'7	115,600	3,389,505	29'3	132,709	4,336,163	32'6

No. 169.—Approximate Annual Value of Return from the Stock of the Australasian Colonies, for the year 1885; Dairy Produce not included.

Colony.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Wool.	Pigs.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	646,200	1,646,625	3,782,990	6,382,275	208,697	12,665,887
Victoria .....	570,000	1,612,500	1,068,180	1,802,560	239,837	5,293,077
Queensland .....	487,500	3,815,762	899,432	1,517,791	55,843	6,770,328
South Australia .....	315,750	487,500	670,000	1,317,518	163,807	2,954,575
Western Australia ...	64,500	88,012	170,272	271,370	24,280	618,434
Tasmania .....	53,625	173,250	164,862	278,205	67,395	737,337
New Zealand .....	303,150	873,300	1,462,454	2,467,892	200,083	5,306,879
Total .....	£ 2,440,725	8,696,949	8,217,290	14,037,611	959,942	34,352,517

No. 170.—Approximate Value of Stock of all kinds in the Australasian Colonies, at the close of the year 1885.

Cattle.	Value of				
	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total Value.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	3,446,970	5,927,917	13,237,317	626,091	23,238,295
Victoria .....	3,040,980	5,808,555	3,738,643	719,511	13,307,689
Queensland .....	2,602,070	18,731,934	3,148,013	167,529	24,649,546
South Australia .....	1,684,200	1,753,767	2,343,842	491,421	6,273,230
Western Australia .....	343,920	316,836	595,951	72,840	1,329,547
Tasmania .....	286,100	623,889	577,019	202,185	1,689,193
New Zealand .....	1,617,360	3,143,866	5,118,591	600,249	10,480,066
Total .....	£ 13,021,600	36,306,764	28,759,376	2,879,826	80,967,566

Estimated Capital Value of Pastoral Property—Land, Improve-  
ments, Plant, &c. .... £280,000,000  
Value of Stock ..... 81,000,000

Total Estimated Value ..... £361,000,000  
Estimated Annual Return..... 34,352,517

No. 171.—Live Stock in the Colony, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
1876	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604
1877	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677
1878	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320
1879	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026
1880	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205
1881	398,577	2,597,348	30,591,946	213,916
1882	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815
1883	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050
1884	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656
1885	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697

**No. 172.—Live Stock in each of the Australasian Colonies, at the close of the year 1885.**

Colony.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.
New South Wales .....	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697
Victoria .....	304,298	1,290,790	10,681,837	239,837
South Australia .....	168,420	389,726	6,696,406	163,807
Queensland .....	260,207	4,162,652	8,994,322	55,843
Western Australia .....	34,392	70,408	1,702,719	24,280
Tasmania .....	28,610	138,642	1,648,627	67,395
New Zealand .....	161,736	698,637	14,624,547	200,083
Total .....	1,302,160	8,068,170	82,169,364	959,942

**No. 173.—Approximate Number of Persons engaged Mining for Gold, Silver, Copper, Tin, Iron, Coal, and Shale, during the five years ending 1885.**

Persons engaged Mining for—	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Gold .....	9,056	9,215	6,750	6,548	5,911
Silver and Silver Lead .....	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	929
Copper .....	1,177	1,442	1,913	1,746	1,000
Tin .....	4,530	5,146	4,100	2,850	3,395
Iron .....	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	180
Coal .....	4,297	4,647	5,481	6,227	7,097
Shale .....	231	317	293	116	324
Total .....	19,291	20,767	18,537	17,487	18,836

\* No Estimate made.

**No. 174.—Quantity and Value of Gold, the produce of the Colony, Coined or Exported, to the close of the year 1885.**

Year.	Weight.	Value.	Year.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£		oz.	£
1851	144,120'88	468,336	1870	240,401'86	916,409
1852	818,751'93	2,660,946	1871	321,468'70	1,232,011
1853	548,052'99	1,781,172	1872	424,100'23	1,634,821
1854	237,910'70	773,209	1873	360,849'97	1,389,705
1855	170,145'73	613,148	1874	270,710'12	1,038,844
1856	183,946'36	666,055	1875	229,385'55	881,480
1857	161,043'26	616,712	1876	155,166'37	581,689
1858	280,557'93	1,082,865	1877	122,619'24	463,130
1859	323,984'02	1,237,662	1878	117,977'88	423,184
1860	381,613'96	1,445,158	1879	107,640'38	399,187
1861	459,879'26	1,771,855	1880	116,750'52	434,641
1862	616,909'71	2,360,383	1881	145,532'05	550,111
1863	467,399'05	1,791,534	1882	129,233'28	491,594
1864	341,954'12	1,304,735	1883	122,250'58	452,611
1865	364,540'63	1,390,803	1884	105,933'43	390,229
1866	287,534'29	1,103,246	1885	100,667'16	366,388
1867	269,407'35	1,043,458			
1868	258,773'41	1,003,002			
1869	252,130'14	967,625			
				9,639,359'04	35,727,938

175.—Quantity and Value of Tin, the Produce of the Colony, exported since the opening of the Tin-fields in 1872.

Year.	Ingots.				Ore.				Total Value.	
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.			
	tons cwt.		£	s. d.	tons cwt.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1872	47	0	6,482	0 0	849	0	41,337	0 0	47,819	0 0
1873	911	0	107,795	0 0	3,660	0	226,641	0 0	334,436	0 0
1874	4,101	0	366,189	0 0	2,188	0	118,133	0 0	484,322	0 0
1875	6,058	0	475,168	0 0	2,022	0	86,143	0 0	561,311	0 0
1876	5,449	0	379,318	0 0	1,509	0	60,320	0 0	439,638	0 0
1877	7,230	0	477,952	0 0	824	0	30,588	0 0	508,540	0 0
1878	6,085	0	362,072	0 0	1,125	0	33,750	0 0	395,822	0 0
1879	5,107	2	343,075	0 0	813	15	29,274	0 0	372,349	0 0
1880	5,476	6	440,615	0 0	682	6	30,722	9 0	471,337	0 0
1881	7,590	17½	686,511	0 0	609	6	37,492	0 0	724,003	0 0
1882	8,059	0	800,571	0 0	611	0	32,890	0 0	833,461	0 0
1883	8,680	1	802,867	0 0	445	4	21,685	0 0	824,552	0 0
1884	6,315	16	506,726	0 0	349	13	14,861	0 0	521,587	0 0
1885	4,657	18	390,458	0 0	534	18	25,168	0 0	415,626	0 0
	75,768	0½	6,145,799	0 0	16,153	2	789,004	0 0	6,934,803	0 0

No. 176.—Quantity and Value of Copper, the Produce of the Colony, Exported during each year, from 1858 to 1885.

Year.	Ingots.		Ore and Regulus.		Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	tons.	£	tons.	£	£
1858	.....	.....	58	1,400	1,400
1859	30	578	.....	.....	578
1860	.....	.....	43	1,535	1,535
1861	.....	.....	144	3,390	3,390
1862	.....	.....	213	5,742	5,742
1863	23	1,680	114	420	2,100
1864	54	5,230	.....	.....	5,230
1865	247	15,820	22	545	16,365
1866	255	18,905	23	1,885	20,790
1867	393	30,189	.....	5	30,194
1868	644	23,297	172	4,000	27,297
1869	1,980	74,605	104	2,070	76,675
1870	994	65,671	6	60	65,731
1871	1,350	87,579	94	1,297	88,876
1872	1,035	92,736	417	13,152	105,888
1873	2,795	237,412	51	1,690	239,102
1874	3,638	311,519	522	13,621	325,140
1875	3,520	297,334	157	4,356	301,690
1876	3,106	243,142	169	6,836	249,978
1877	4,153	397,181	360	17,045	324,226
1878	4,983	337,409	236	7,749	345,158
1879	4,107	256,437	36	915	257,352
1880	5,263	359,260	132	4,799	364,059
1881	5,361	350,087	133	4,975	355,062
1882	4,865	321,887	93	2,840	324,727
1883	8,873	574,497	84	2,704	577,201
1884	7,286	415,601	19	578	416,179
1885	5,745	264,905	1	15	264,920
Total	70,700	4,692,961	3,403	103,624	4,796,585

**No. 177.—Quantity and Value of Kerosene Shale produced yearly, during the period 1865–85.**

Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.		Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Price per Ton.		Total Value.
	tons.	£	s. d.	£		tons.	£	s. d.	£
1865	570	4	2 5'47	2,350	1877	18,963	2	9 0'81	46,524
1866	2,770	2	18 10'48	8,150	1878	24,371	2	6 11'40	57,211
1867	4,079	3	14 9'21	15,249	1879	32,519	2	1 1'96	66,931
1868	16,952	2	17 7'11	48,816	1880	19,201	2	6 7'03	44,725
1869	7,500	2	10 0'00	18,750	1881	27,894	1	9 2'59	40,748
1870	8,580	3	4 3'18	27,570	1882	48,065	1	15 0'00	84,114
1871	14,700	2	6 3'91	34,050	1883	49,250	1	16 10'77	90,861
1872	11,040	2	11 11'91	28,700	1884	31,618	2	5 7'86	72,176
1873	17,850	2	16 6'55	50,475	1885	27,462	2	8 11'62	67,239
1874	12,100	2	5 1'48	27,300					
1875	6,197	2	10 2'22	15,500		397,679	2	5 0'39	895,437
1876	15,998	3	0 0'00	47,994					

**No. 178.—Estimated Quantity and Value of Coal raised in the Colony to the close of the year 1885, and average Price per Ton.**

Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.		Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average per Ton.		Value.
	tons.	s.	d.	£		tons.	s.	d.	£
Prior to	50,000	10	0	25,000	1858	216,397	14	11'84	162,162
1829	780	10	1'23	394	1859	308,213	13	3'14	204,371
1830	4,000	9	0'00	1,800	1860	368,862	12	3'36	226,493
1831	5,000	8	0'00	2,000	1861	342,067	12	9'52	218,820
1832	7,143	7	0'00	2,502	1862	476,522	12	9'73	395,234
1833	6,812	7	6'73	2,575	1863	433,889	10	10'66	236,230
1834	8,490	8	10'00	3,750	1864	549,012	9	10'10	270,171
1835	12,392	8	10'19	5,483	1865	585,525	9	4'43	274,303
1836	12,646	9	1'06	5,747	1866	774,238	8	4'44	324,049
1837	16,083	9	8'81	5,828	1867	770,012	8	10'79	342,655
1838	17,220	9	9'05	8,399	1868	954,231	8	9'08	417,809
1839	21,283	9	9'73	10,441	1869	919,774	7	6'32	346,146
1840	30,256	10	10'86	16,498	1870	868,564	7	3'54	316,836
1841	34,841	12	0'00	20,905	1871	898,784	7	0'47	316,340
1842	39,900	12	0'00	23,940	1872	1,012,426	7	9'92	396,198
1843	25,862	12	6'54	16,222	1873	1,192,862	11	1'94	665,747
1844	23,118	10	8'34	12,363	1874	1,304,612	12	1'37	790,224
1845	22,324	7	10'27	8,769	1875	1,329,729	12	3'89	819,430
1846	38,905	7	0'46	13,714	1876	1,319,918	12	2'06	803,300
1847	49,732	6	9'01	13,750	1877	1,444,271	11	10'74	858,998
1848	45,447	6	3'38	14,275	1878	1,575,497	11	8'28	920,936
1849	48,516	6	0'45	14,647	1879	1,583,381	12	0'12	950,879
1850	71,216	6	6'77	23,375	1880	1,466,180	8	6'36	615,337
1851	67,610	7	6'51	25,456	1881	1,769,597	6	9'55	603,248
1852	67,404	10	11'33	36,885	1882	2,109,282	8	11'97	948,965
1853	96,809	16	1'51	78,059	1883	2,521,457	9	6'40	1,201,941
1854	116,642	0	5'63	119,380	1884	2,749,109	9	5'71	1,303,077
1855	137,076	12	11'96	89,082	1885	2,878,863	9	3'72	1,340,212
1856	189,960	12	4'06	117,906					
1857	210,434	14	0'97	148,158	Total...	34,192,235	9	11'67	17,049,505

**No. 179.—Quantity and Estimated Value of Minerals obtained in the Colony during the years 1884-85.**

Minerals.	1884.		1885.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
	oz.	£	oz.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Gold.....	107,198'92	395,292	103,736'36	378,665	.....	16,626 12 2
Silver .....	93,660'25	19,780	794,173'80	159,187	139,407 0 0	.....
Coal .....	tons. 2,749,109'00	1,303,077	tons. 2,878,863'23	1,340,213	37135 13 7	.....
Shale .....	31,618'00	72,176	27,462'00	67,239	.....	4,937 0 0
Tin .....	6,665'45	521,587	5,192'80	415,626	.....	105,961 0 0
Copper.....	7,305'20	416,179	5,746'00	264,920	.....	151,259 0 0
Iron .....	3,759'12	24,572	4,175'79	25,793	1,221 8 7	.....
Antimony.....	433'60	6,458	292'75	4,296	.....	2,162 0 0
Bismuth .....	14'37	2,770	14'17	3,700	930 0 0	.....
Sundry Minerals .....	.....	.....	456'76	7,820	7,820 0 0	.....
Silver Lead Ore	9,167'52	241,940	2,286'20	107,626	.....	134,314 0 0
Asbestos .....	.....	.....	6'00	90	90 0 0	.....
Total Value...	.....	3,003,831	.....	2,775,175	.....	228,656

**No. 180.—Estimated Value of Mineral Products obtained in the Colony, to the close of the year 1885.**

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Gold .....	36,102,844
Silver and Silver Lead.....	739,910
Tin .....	6,934,803
Copper .....	4,796,585
Iron .....	231,854
Coal .....	17,049,505
Shale .....	895,437
Sundry Minerals .....	92,822
	£66,843,760

No. 181.—Estimated Value of Mineral Products obtained in the Colony during the ten years ended 1885.

Year.	Gold.	Silver.	Silver and Lead.	Tin.	Copper.	Iron.	Coal.	Shale.	Antimony.	Bismuth.	Sundry Minerals.	Total Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1876	613,190	15,456	1,392	439,638	249,978	13,399	803,300	47,994	140	.....	.....	2,184,487
1877	471,418	6,673	325	508,540	324,226	7,600	858,998	46,524	1,131	.....	7,725	2,233,160
1878	430,033	13,291	258	395,822	345,158	6,666	920,936	57,211	1,964	.....	1,082	2,172,421
1879	407,219	18,071	535	372,349	257,352	10,550	950,879	66,930	1,046	.....	525	2,085,456
1880	441,543	21,878	890	471,337	364,059	15,335	615,337	44,725	1,652	.....	1,118	1,977,874
1881	566,513	13,026	1,625	724,003	355,062	47,871	603,248	40,748	17,346	2,728	1,020	2,373,190
1882	526,521	9,024	360	833,461	324,727	37,224	948,965	84,114	16,732	162	1,054	2,782,344
1883	458,509	16,488	2,075	824,552	577,201	26,908	1,201,942	90,861	5,555	650	160	3,204,901
1884	395,292	19,780	241,940	521,587	416,179	24,572	1,303,077	72,176	6,458	2,770	.....	3,003,831
1885	378,665	159,187	107,626	415,626	264,920	25,793	1,340,213	67,239	4,296	3,700	7,910	2,775,175
£	4,688,903	292,874	357,026	5,506,915	3,478,862	215,918	9,546,895	618,522	56,320	10,010	20,594	24,869,307

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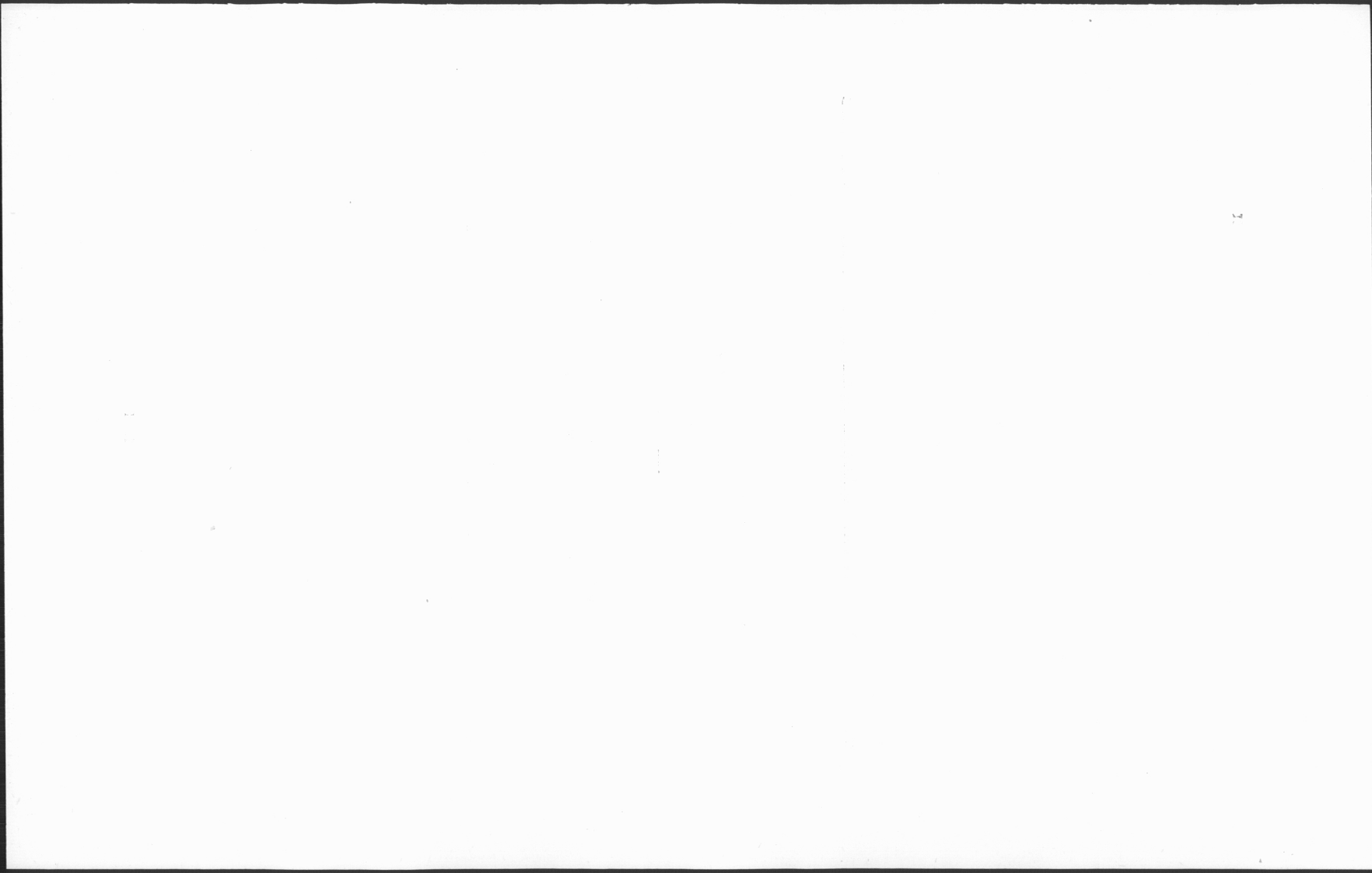
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Total number of Members Elected .....	122
Elected, without Opposition .....	7
Number of Electors .....	232,190
Approximate number of Votes recorded .....	138,966
Percentage of Votes recorded .....	59'85
Percentage of Informal Votes .....	2'08

### No. 183.—Municipalities and Municipal Electors, 1885-6.

	No. of Boroughs.	No. of Municipal Districts.	Total.
Suburbs of Sydney .....	21	8	29
Country .....	27	52	79
Total .....	48	60	108

### Classification of Voters.

	Boroughs.		Municipal Districts.		Total.
	Suburbs.	Country.	Suburbs.	Country.	
Electors with 1 vote .....	11,761	12,273	5,110	12,915	42,059
"    2    " .....	10,919	8,234	1,670	4,465	25,288
"    3    " .....	3,509	1,907	457	1,156	7,029
"    4    " .....	1,920	813	273	733	3,739
	28,109	23,227	7,510	19,169	78,115

### Proportion of Resident and Non-resident Voters.

	Boroughs.			Municipal Districts.		
	Suburban.	Country.	Total.	Suburban.	Country.	Total.
Resident .....	76'27	88'85	81'35	59'64	73'72	70'07
Non-resident .....	23'73	11'15	18'65	40'36	26'28	29'93

No. 184.—Estimated Value of Ratable Property in Municipalities of the Colony, with Revenue and Expenditure, &c., for the year ended 1st February, 1886.

Municipalities.	Estimated Value of Ratable Property.	Estimated Annual Value of Ratable Property upon which rates are struck.	Receipts.						Expenditure.	Miles of Roads and Streets.		
			General Rates.	Special Rates.	Miscellaneous.	Loans.	Endowment.	Total.		Made.	Unmade.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney .....	40,704,700	1,850,214	137,211	108,899	55,595	.....	18,750	320,455	325,423	100	...	100
Suburbs of Sydney .....	28,907,578	1,927,788	83,787	20,708	41,989	86,604	50,415	283,503	255,602	590	464	1,054
Country Municipalities .....	18,768,501	1,713,578	72,403	13,522	21,121	51,162	53,108	211,316	206,360	1,385	1,663	3,048
	88,380,779	5,491,580	293,401	143,129	118,705	137,766	122,273	815,274	787,385	2,075	2,127	4,202

No. 185.—Temperature and Rainfall at Sydney, 1876-85.

Year.	Mean Temperature—Fahrenheit.	Rainfall.		Year.	Mean Temperature—Fahrenheit.	Rainfall.	
		Rainy Days.	Inches of Rain.			Rainy Days.	Inches of Rain.
1876	63'6	156	45'69	1882	63'3	152	42'23
1877	63'7	147	59'66	1883	62'3	210	46'93
1878	63'6	129	49'77	1884	63'2	159	44'04
1879	62'1	167	63'20	1885	63'9	145	39'91
1880	62'8	143	29'52	Mean	62'7	163	49'86
1881	62'2	218	40'97				

# No. 186.—Number and Amount of Transactions in Real and Leasehold Estates Registered in the Colony, 1876–85.

Nature of Transaction.	1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.	
	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.	No. of Deeds Registered.	Amount.
Conveyances under Mortgage..	110	£ 63,394	334	£ 238,095	248	£ 158,784	223	£ 131,510	260	£ 133,739	198	£ 92,677	151	£ 67,620	132	£ 58,749	132	£ 126,685	122	£ 122,051
Conveyances (absolute)....	4,553	1,663,934	5,005	2,228,895	4,704	2,490,681	4,505	1,673,051	5,987	2,405,880	12,120	4,974,431	12,654	5,603,500	9,872	4,922,470	9,222	3,708,440	12,465	5,245,422
Assignments (absolute), Leasehold Estates..	220	96,562	203	110,799	266	102,612	218	80,759	147	116,067	275	180,825	288	247,385	206	143,053	287	186,666	380	230,640
Mortgages .....	2,126	1,402,848	1,758	1,308,774	2,440	1,981,481	2,809	2,461,964	2,995	4,048,952	4,505	5,268,449	4,159	4,924,596	4,088	5,832,472	4,653	5,620,421	7,618	11,360,108
Discharges of Mortgages....	1,101	600,835	1,902	1,123,139	1,350	896,446	1,235	868,524	1,860	715,148	2,386	1,926,357	2,051	1,676,224	1,388	1,433,912	2,216	1,957,768	3,473	2,239,075
Transfers of Mortgages....	69	58,696	71	49,528	58	92,613	83	59,595	96	152,445	131	295,050	80	92,419	82	210,806	263	209,413	160	247,320
Totals .....	8,179	3,886,269	9,273	5,059,230	9,066	6,722,617	9,073	5,275,403	11,345	7,572,231	19,615	12,737,795	19,133	12,701,744	15,768	11,701,462	16,773	11,899,390	24,218	19,445,516
Leases for periods exceeding three years	278	£ 20,933	385	£ 648,426	339	£ 830,643	402	£ 668,599	477	£ 632,179	457	£ 641,654	474	£ 657,773	400	£ 646,752	529	£ 658,319	538	£ 674,585

a Includes transfer of C.P.'s, for which fees are paid direct to Treasury, viz.:—1882, 9,097; 1883, 6,040; 1884, 3,847; 1885, 10,437.

b Yearly. Leases for periods of three years and under are not registered.

## SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS.

Nature of Transaction.	1876.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.
Conveyances under Mortgage .....	110	334	248	223	260	198	151	132	132	122
Conveyances (absolute) .....	4,553	5,005	4,704	4,505	5,987	12,120	12,654	9,872	9,222	12,465
Assignments (absolute), Leaseholds	220	203	266	218	147	275	288	206	287	380
Mortgages .....	2,126	1,758	2,440	2,809	2,995	4,505	4,159	4,088	4,653	7,618
Discharges of Mortgages .....	1,101	1,902	1,350	1,235	1,860	2,386	2,051	1,388	2,216	3,473
Transfer of Mortgages .....	69	71	58	83	96	131	80	82	263	160
Leases .....	278	385	339	402	477	457	474	400	529	538
Assignments for Creditors .....	13	11	43	56	12	4	12	8	64	47
Miscellaneous Deeds .....	1,033	887	1,619	1,025	2,530	4,412	4,267	3,567	2,363	3,688
Total number of Deeds Registered	9,503	10,556	11,067	10,556	14,364	24,488	24,136	19,743	19,729	28,491

Government Deeds included in 1885 only

No. 187.—Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land Registered in the Colony, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Lent on Town Lands.		Lent on Suburban Lands.		Lent on Town and Country Lands.		Lent on Country Lands.		Total.	
	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.	No. of Mortgages.	Amount.
		£		£		£		£		£
1876	971	639,815	660	310,663	7	10,699	488	441,671	2,126	1,402,848
1877	518	533,590	660	304,714	8	8,419	572	462,052	1,758	1,308,775
1878	1,071	856,316	777	381,149	13	8,126	579	735,891	2,440	1,981,481
1879	1,159	920,337	930	477,042	12	23,540	708	1,041,045	2,809	2,461,964
1880	1,180	1,038,316	1,374	568,644	9	86,918	432	2,455,074	2,995	4,048,952
1881	1,283	1,364,471	1,218	676,901	18	13,981	1,986	3,213,096	4,505	5,268,449
1882	990	1,326,683	1,405	903,047	12	14,103	1,752	2,680,763	4,159	4,924,596
1883	1,030	1,541,110	1,640	983,950	2	4,146	1,416	3,330,266	4,088	5,859,472
1884	1,677	1,490,139	1,518	919,341	68	82,212	1,390	3,128,729	4,653	5,620,421
1885	1,190	1,608,133	2,500	1,643,886	21	118,003	3,907	7,990,086	7,618	11,360,108

No. 188.—Number and Amount of Discharges of Mortgages on Land, and Conveyances under Mortgage, for the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Discharges of Mortgages on Land.		Conveyances under Mortgage.		Year.	Discharges of Mortgages on Land.		Conveyances under Mortgage.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£		£			£		£
1876	1,101	600,835	110	63,394	1881	2,386	1,926,357	198	92,677
1877	1,902	1,123,139	334	238,095	1882	2,051	1,676,224	151	67,620
1878	1,350	896,445	248	158,784	1883	1,388	1,433,912	132	58,749
1879	1,235	868,524	223	131,510	1884	2,216	1,957,765	132	126,685
1880	1,860	715,148	260	133,739	1885	3,473	2,239,075	122	122,951

No. 189.—Number and Amount of Preferable Liens on Wool, and of Mortgages on Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, during the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Preferable Liens on Wool.			Mortgages on Live Stock.				
	No. of Liens.	No. of Sheep.	Amount of Liens.	No. of Mortgages.	No. of Sheep.	No. of Horned Cattle.	No. of Horses.	Amount Lent.
			£					£
1876	920	4,828,951	752,818	758	2,480,004	258,447	5,847	2,157,834
1877	994	4,386,378	627,779	1,994	2,565,962	185,796	6,726	2,004,363
1878	1,027	4,611,696	714,272	914	2,647,183	183,210	8,412	2,059,348
1879	1,246	6,602,742	1,005,118	925	3,538,161	128,685	9,564	2,268,850
1880	1,479	6,216,741	981,171	901	4,858,265	183,555	401	2,818,967
1881	1,609	5,709,061	904,011	1,275	5,982,994	215,504	9,646	4,623,914
1882	1,289	4,837,667	801,174	1,074	3,865,331	112,441	8,391	3,391,984
1883	1,301	6,349,801	1,026,573	1,077	3,601,890	131,068	7,389	2,486,407
1884	1,379	4,168,185	973,179	1,471	2,696,994	77,241	8,097	1,881,082
1885	1,236	5,263,407	1,327,214	1,431	4,730,233	117,241	10,764	2,962,471

N.B.—When any sum has been secured, both by a Lien on the Wool and by a Mortgage of the Sheep, the amount is included under the head of Mortgages only.

No. 190.—Number and Amount of Discharges on Mortgages of Live Stock, Registered in the Colony, for the ten years, 1875-85.

Year.	Number.	Amount.	Year.	Number.	Amount.
		£			£
1876	190	1,028,079	1881	399	2,781,122
1877	225	1,292,703	1882	258	1,900,443
1878	159	1,037,119	1883	126	600,426
1879	161	1,247,708	1884	306	3,801,352
1880	232	3,804,475	1885	208	1,173,673



No. 191.—Number and Amount of Liens on Growing Crops, Registered in the Colony during the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Number.	Amount.	Year.	Number.	Amount.
		£			£
1876	319	16,419	1881	897	42,255
1877	477	27,086	1882	854	40,379
1878	539	43,186	1883	814	50,789
1879	778	55,869	1884	888	54,057
1880	797	81,626	1885	857	71,153

No. 192.—Number of Applications, with the Amount of Fees, under the Real Property Act, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	No. of Appli- cations.	No. of Properties.	Area.			Valuc.	Fees.			
			Town and Suburban.	Country.	Total.		Assurance.	Com- missioners.	Certificates and other Dealings.	Total.
			a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£	£	£	£	£
1876	241	339	1,148 1 38 $\frac{1}{4}$	5,366 0 4	6,514 2 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	220,166	458	297	5,674	6,430
1877	240	342	897 1 14	5,904 2 23	6,801 3 37	210,431	440	333	6,603	7,376
1878	203	377	684 1 18	6,840 0 14 $\frac{3}{4}$	7,524 1 32 $\frac{3}{4}$	153,195	323	515	7,348	8,185
1879	138	224	482 2 30	18,686 1 4	19,168 3 34	157,146	327	200	7,913	8,440
1880	191	307	843 3 17 $\frac{3}{4}$	13,930 3 28 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,774 3 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	205,616	428	295	10,120	10,844
1881	298	396	4,395 3 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,119 1 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	17,515 0 20	701,804	1,462	535	13,054	15,051
1882	287	480	2,497 1 9 $\frac{3}{4}$	52,439 3 38 $\frac{3}{4}$	54,937 1 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	837,883	1,747	539	14,617	16,002
1883	264	406	1,772 1 19 $\frac{1}{4}$	20,233 2 20 $\frac{1}{2}$	22,005 3 39 $\frac{1}{2}$	803,553	1,661	496	14,884	17,041
1884	276	466	1,420 2 17 $\frac{1}{4}$	29,999 3 5 $\frac{3}{4}$	31,420 1 23	607,928	1,267	541	16,485	18,293
1885	303	447	2,253 1 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	28,977 0 29 $\frac{3}{4}$	31,230 1 32 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,157,000	2,421	621	18,584	21,626

No. 193.—Number of Dealings Registered under the Real Property Act, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Instrument.	1876.		1877.		1878.		1879.		1880.		1881.		1882.		1883.		1884.		1885.	
	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.	Number.	Amount of consideration.
Transfers .....	2,866	£ 779,734	3,394	£ 1,046,340	3,607	£ 1,143,854	3,425	£ 1,422,547	4,696	£ 2,621,764	6,317	£ 3,024,959	7,422	£ 2,960,405	7,647	£ 2,604,774	8,673	£ 2,677,768	8,970	£ 3,164,734
Mortgages .....	1,204	1,100,576	1,423	1,976,142	1,451	2,908,784	1,860	3,414,000	2,193	3,902,272	2,366	4,155,225	2,605	4,710,855	2,825	5,781,167	3,437	4,447,739	4,043	6,085,380
Discharges .....	470	370,919	605	529,330	670	302,858	737	848,987	1,052	1,945,915	1,501	2,067,140	1,603	2,417,460	1,369	1,833,016	1,696	2,684,470	2,065	3,373,327
Encumbrances .....	11	20,941	6	11,764	19	2,830	24	158,777	19	188,198	10	57,962	4	2 200	4	1,080	2	1,250	6	....
Caveats .....	..	..	..	..	123	..	191	..	186	..	214	..	201	..	201	..	277	..	336	..
Withdrawal of Caveats .....	..	..	..	..	46	..	89	..	78	..	91	..	120	..	111	..	137	..	188	..
Transfers of Mortgage .....	..	..	..	..	53	..	52	..	70	..	92	..	55	..	76	..	65	..	135	..
Transfers of Encumbrance .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	10	..
Leases .....	..	..	..	..	72	..	66	..	74	..	55	..	150	..	132	..	111	..	173	..
Transfers of Lease .....	..	..	..	..	14	..	15	..	35	..	28	..	49	..	25	..	48	..	50	..
Surrenders of Lease .....	..	..	..	..	13	..	22	..	17	..	9	..	12	..	9	..	14	..	20	..
Notice of Marriage .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	4	..	8	..	7	..
Notice of Death .....	..	..	..	..	27	..	46	..	38	..	68	..	62	..	62	..	68	..	90	..
Registered Proprietor by Official Assignee .....	..	..	..	..	14	..	26	..	19	..	21	..	30	..	19	..	21	..	25	..
Writs or Warrants .....	..	..	..	..	28	..	33	..	35	..	19	..	24	..	34	..	49	..	38	..
Satisfaction of Writs or Warrants .....	..	..	..	..	8	..	5	..	3	..	5	..	10	..	6	..	5	..	9	..
Vesting Orders .....	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	5	..	7	..	7	..	8	..	4	..	4	..
Foreclosure of Mortgage .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Notices of Resumption .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	..	21	..	14	..	21	..
Powers of Attorney .....	..	..	..	..	46	..	38	..	6	..	6	..	3	..	5	..	4	..	7	..
Re-entry of Lease .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	2	..	4	..	2	..	3	..
Transmission by Endorsement .....	..	..	..	..	29	..	131	..	153	..	195	..	190	..	267	..	272	..	299	..
Surrender of Registration Abstract .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Declaration of Trust .....	..	..	..	..	21	..	23	..	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total .....	4,551	2,272,170	5,428	3,563,576	6,238	4,358,326	6,788	5,844,311	8,725	1,658 149	11,008	9,305,286	12,579	10,090,920	12,830	10,220,037	14,908	9,811,227	16,502	12,623,441
Total number of Endorsements .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23,660	..	20,537	..	19,997	..	17,802	..	16,384	..	23,448	..
Total number of new Certificates .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,004	..	5,424	..	5,916	..	6,453	..	6,867	..

No. 194.—Number and Area of Crown Grants Registered under the Real Property Act, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Grants.	Area.			Value.	Assurance.
		Town and Suburban.	Country.	Total.		
		a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£	£
1876	5,275	798 3 11	659,212 3 33	660,011 3 4	671,354	1,401
1877	9,107	1,248 2 4 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,173,037 3 12 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,174,286 1 16 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,204,648	2,512
1878	13,303	1,038 2 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,038,124 3 2	2,039,163 1 14 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,068,908	3,314
1879	19,655	2,731 3 8	2,781,788 1 29	2,784,520 0 37	3,063,849	6,389
1880	5,683	1,414 0 17 $\frac{3}{4}$	567,745 3 31 $\frac{1}{2}$	569,160 0 9 $\frac{1}{4}$	653,779	1,372
1881	7,406	1,641 1 36	908,225 1 0	909,866 2 36	1,002,403	2,093
1882	8,965	2,146 3 33 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,255,302 0 6 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,257,449 0 0	1,402,722	2,925
1883	8,200	1,636 1 36 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,038,921 3 34	1,040,558 1 30 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,301,851	2,714
1884	5,829	3,283 0 26 $\frac{3}{4}$	394,643 3 21	397,927 0 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	498,481	1,040
1885	4,006	800 3 35 $\frac{3}{8}$	502,764 1 20	503 565 1 15 $\frac{3}{8}$	666,170	1,389

No. 195.—Number of Intestate Estates dealt with by the Curator, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Number.	Amount received by the Curator.		Amount paid by the Curator.		Year.	Number.	Amount received by the Curator.		Amount paid by the Curator.	
		On fresh Estates.	On Estates remaining from previous years.	On fresh Estates.	On Estates remaining from previous years.			On fresh Estates.	On Estates remaining from previous years.	On fresh Estates.	On Estates remaining from previous years.
		£	£	£	£			£	£	£	£
1876	199	13,998	13,025	4,169	13,025	1881	300	27,702	31,353	3,784	.....
1877	228	13,189	.....	5,679	.....	1882	280	22,749	.....	3,407	14,330
1878	205	16,659	.....	4,569	.....	1883	283	34,923	.....	6,704	13,852
1879	195	11,422	.....	10,099	.....	1884	320	29,201	.....	5,618	23,677
1880	212	23,748	33,927	3,016	.....	1885	351	23,955	.....	3,990	18,185

No. 196.—Number of Insolvencies in the Colony, during the ten years, 1876–85.

Year.	Number of Insolvents.			Amount of Liabilities, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Assets, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Number of Assignees elected by Creditors to act with the Official Assignee.	Amount of Deficiency shown in the Insolvents' Estates.	Amount of Court Fees in Insolvency, collected under the Act of Council and paid at the Treasury.
	Voluntary.	Compulsory.	Total.					
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	No.	£	£
1876	461	41	502	492,847	169,603	2	323,243	1,739
1877	534	54	588	508,353	210,821	2	297,531	1,850
1878	652	64	716	664,736	350,176	.....	314,560	2,326
1879	767	96	863	781,334	306,103	.....	475,231	2,397
1880	784	50	834	479,864	292,233	.....	187,631	2,525
1881	664	60	724	379,289	218,212	.....	161,078	2,068
1882	686	48	734	307,084	167,876	.....	139,208	2,304
1883	720	65	785	444,594	245,836	3	189,758	2,681
1884	856	62	918	836,165	580,195	2	255,970	2,994
1885	849	80	929	773,212	589,359	2	183,853	3,124

## No. 197.—Publicans' Licenses in Force, for the year 1885.

Name of Licensing District.	Number Issued.	Name of Licensing District.	Number Issued.
Albury .....	38	Manning River .....	14
Armidale .....	43	Menindie .....	11
Balranald .....	16	Metropolitan .....	823
Bathurst .....	69	Milparinka .....	16
Bega .....	21	Mitchell .....	29
Bellinger .....	11	Moama .....	9
Berrima .....	20	Molong .....	32
Bingera .....	11	Moree .....	18
Bombala .....	10	Mudgee .....	46
Bourke .....	47	Murrurundi .....	9
Braidwood .....	14	Muswellbrook .....	9
Brewarrina .....	30	Narrabri .....	35
Broulee .....	14	Narrandera .....	28
Burrowa .....	15	Newcastle .....	98
Camden .....	5	Nymagee .....	11
Campbelltown .....	11	Orange .....	41
Carcoar .....	34	Paterson .....	5
Cassilis .....	10	Patrick's Plains .....	19
Cobar .....	23	Parkes .....	17
Condobolin .....	14	Parramatta .....	40
Cooma .....	26	Penrith .....	17
Coonabarabran .....	9	Picton .....	5
Coonamble .....	10	Port Macquarie .....	5
Cootamundra .....	18	Port Stephens .....	11
Copeland .....	7	Quirindi .....	10
Corowa .....	19	Queanbeyan .....	29
Cowra .....	13	Raymond Terrace .....	5
Deniliquin .....	39	Richmond River .....	13
Dowling .....	3	Rylstone .....	8
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Maitland .....	59		
		Total .....	3,179

**No. 198.—Number of Miners' Rights, Mineral and Business Licenses, issued during 1885.**

Where issued.	Miners' Rights.	Mineral Licenses.	Business Licenses.
Local Offices .....	8,944	1,778	1,659
Treasury, Sydney .....	442	375	14
Total .....	9,386	2,153	1,673

**No. 199.—Land Alienated in the Colony, up to the 31st December, 1885.**

Nature of Alienation.	Acres.
Sold in fee simple, from the first settlement of the Colony, including only that for which the purchase has been completed .....	20,634,704
In process of alienation, under deferred payments .....	16,979,460
Granted, without purchase, from first settlement of the Colony	4,069,310
Total .....	41,683,474
Total Area of the Colony .....	195,822,150
„ Unalienated, on 31st December, 1885 .....	154,138,676

**No. 200.—Lands Sold, otherwise than Conditionally, for the ten years, 1876-85.**

Year.	Extent of Land Sold.				Total Price.
	Town Lots.	Suburban Lots.	Country Lots.	Total.	
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£
1876	691	4,359	1,868,010	1,873,059	1,971,292
1877	549	1,523	2,148,688	2,150,759	2,196,922
1878	710	1,586	1,208,396	1,210,693	1,441,004
1879	455	2,049	474,690	477,194	590,368
1880	517	1,921	623,675	626,112	722,733
1881	623	2,770	1,325,514	1,328,907	1,484,898
1882	449	1,646	1,027,904	1,029,999	1,252,597
1883	720	3,950	163,785	168,456	256,982
1884	659	2,862	290,659	294,180	433,338
1885	136	1,061	293,828	295,025	446,312

## No. 201.—Land Sold Conditionally, from 1862 to 1885.

Year.	Sold Conditionally.		Amount Realized.			Gross Amount Realized.
	Number of Selections.	Area.	For Deposit.	For Balance of Purchase Money.	For Interest.	
		acres.	£	£	£	£
1862 to 1875	87,941	8,333,657	2,083,415	301,980	383,929	2,779,293
1876	12,654	1,984,212	496,053	68,834	99,329	664,216
1877	12,009	1,699,816	424,954	71,853	126,657	623,464
1878	12,602	1,588,248	398,728	70,835	160,581	630,145
1879	7,540	924,136	232,285	124,162	171,148	527,595
1880	8,583	1,147,002	293,113	155,452	204,634	653,199
1881	14,220	2,329,202	592,966	221,556	253,357	1,067,879
1882	14,607	2,392,220	621,617	239,588	287,527	1,148,731
1883	10,725	1,621,948	424,963	195,591	310,676	931,235
1884	10,657	1,453,937	381,550	244,547	326,184	952,281
1885	5,372	1,114,872	121,437	508,425	151,658	781,520
Total.....	196,910	24,589,150	6,071,086	2,202,823	2,475,680	10,849,558

## No. 202.—Amounts received on account of Sale of Crown Lands, for the ten years, 1876-85.

Year.	Amounts Received.	Year.	Amounts Received.
	£		£
1876	2,513,404	1881	2,483,338
1877	2,967,857	1882	2,455,041
1878	2,076,011	1883	1,269,479
1879	1,386,687	1884	1,363,493
1880	1,382,026	1885	1,224,222

## No. 203.—Revenue derived from Lands Sold in the year 1885, under the "Lands Alienation Acts of 1861" and "Crown Lands Act of 1884."

Description.	No. of Lots.	Area Sold.	Average Price per Acre.	Total Amount of Sales.	Amount Received.	Balance remaining unpaid.
		acres.	£ s. d.	£	£	£
Sold at Auction { Town .....	259	93	48 13 6½	4,536	70,859	3,509
Suburban .....	338	901	71 10 6½	64,419		
Country .....	51	1,654	3 5 9½	5,513		
Improved lots, sold to owners of improvements.....	1,481	292,257	1 5 2	367,990	367,980	
Reclaimed lands, sold at appraised price .....	26	9	339 15 11	2,956	2,956	
Proceeds of sales of unnecessary roads .....	15	38	3 4 3	120	119	
Sales without competition, in special cases .....	7	66	1 6 11	89	89	
Rescission of reservation from water frontage .....	14	7	97 1 3	689	689	
Sold conditionally .....	5,372	1,114,871	.....	1,160,734	121,437	1,039,296
General Total.....	7,563	1,409,896	.....	1,607,046	564,139	1,042,805
Balances received on Conditional Purchases .....					508,425	
Interest " " " .....					151,658	
Total Amount received .....					£ 1,224,222	

No. 204.—Revenue derived from Lands Leased in the year 1885, under the “Crown Lands Occupation Act of 1861,” and the “Crown Lands Act of 1834.”

Number.		Estimated Area.	Rent and Assessment received.
		square miles.	£
73	Pastoral Leases in Second-class Districts.....	1,573	2,467
1,543	Occupation Licenses .....	99,736	94,608
1,589	Pastoral Leases .....	105,207	134,123
5,827	Annual Leases.....	7,921	15,843
2,448	Conditional Leases .....	2,970	15,840
11,480	Total .....	217,407	262,881

No. 205.—Revenue derived from Lands, under the “Gold-fields Act.”

	£
Leases for Mining Purposes other than Gold .....	20,750
Auriferous Leases.....	2,990
Miners' Rights .....	4,142
Business Licenses .....	1,248
Mineral Licenses .....	2,311
Fees for Escort and Conveyance of Gold, &c. ....	983
Total .....	£ 32,426

No. 206.—Land Revenue derived from Miscellaneous Sources in the year 1885.

	£
Forfeited Deposits and Fines .....	463
Licenses to Cut Timber .....	8,827
Quit Rents.....	202
Fees on Transfers.....	715
Fees on Deeds .....	3,861
Sundry Collections .....	12,553
Total .....	£ 26,621

No. 207.—Total Revenue derived from Crown Lands for the year 1885.

		£
Total Receipts ...	{ Under Lands Alienation Act .....	1,224,222
	“ Occupation Act .....	262,881
	“ Gold-fields Act .....	32,426
	{ Miscellaneous .....	26,620
		£ 1,546,149
Revenue received in 1885 .....		1,546,149
Balance payable in 1886 for Auction Sales .....		3,509
“ 1888 for Conditional Purchases .....		1,039,296
	General Total .....	£ 2,588,954



**No. 208.—Lands Leased for Pastoral Purposes during the ten years, 1876-85.**

Year.	Five-years' Leases.		Annual Leases.		Total Area of Land Leased.	Annual Rent Payable on—		Total Annual Rent Payable.
	No. of Leases.	Area Leased.	No. of Leases.	Area Leased.		Five-years' Leases.	Annual Leases.	
		square miles.		square miles.	square miles.	£	£	£
1876	4,235	216,174	18,394	21,316½	237,490½	171,157	44,229	215,387
1877	4,279	218,314	18,307	22,946	241,260	176,356	47,763	224,119
1878	4,321	211,737	16,484	20,208½	231,945½	168,327	43,126	211,453
1879	4,323	208,177	18,542	23,233	231,410	162,556	50,020	212,576
1880	4,329	208,295	18,176	23,693	231,988	158,805	49,381	208,188
1881	4,336	200,609	19,261	25,474	226,083	214,500	53,547	268,047
1882	4,337	199,748	20,662	28,008	227,756	248,721	58,228	306,949
1883	4,329	200,008	21,626	29,312	229,320	264,174	60,955	325,129
1884	4,313	194,466	19,636	26,094	220,560	268,693	61,384	330,077
1885*	73	1,573	5,827	7,921	9,494	2,467	15,843	18,310

\* Under Act of 1861. For other Leases, see following Table.

**No. 209.—Pastoral and Conditional Leases and Occupation Licenses issued during 1885.**

Year.	Pastoral Leases.			Occupation Licenses.			Conditional Leases.		
	No.	Area.	Amount.	No.	Area.	Amount.	No.	Area.	Amount.
		square miles.	£		square miles.	£ s. d.		square miles.	£
1885	1,589	105,207	134,123	1,543	99,736	94,608 5 10	2,448	2,970	15,840

**No. 210.—Permanent Military Forces: Distribution of the Regular Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1885.**

Corps or Company.	Major-General commanding.	Colonel Commanding Artillery Forces.	Assistant Adjutant-General.	Dept. Assistant Quarter-Master-General.	Brigade Pay-master.	Medical Officer.	Colonels.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Major.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Warrant Officers.	Sergeants.	Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Total.
General Staff	I	...	I	I	I	I	I	...	I	4	...	2	10	...	...	23
New South Wales Artillery .....	...	I	...	...	...	...	I	2	...	3	6	5	26	9	433	486
Total ...	I	I	I	I	I	I	2	2	I	7	6	7	36	9	433	509

No. 211.—Volunteer Force: Distribution of the Volunteer Force, on the 31st December, 1885.

Distribution.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Medical Officers.	Chaplains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Permanent Staff.						Bugle and Trumpet-Majors.	Sergeant-Majors.	Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Privates.	Totals.
								Adjutants, Pay and Quarter Masters.	Regimental Sergeant-Majors.	Regimental Quarter-master-Sergeants.	Colour-Sergeants.	Orderly-Room Clerks.								
Permanent Staff .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44	2	6	52	
Medical and Honorary Staff .....	...	...	...	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	
Artillery .....	1	2	6	5	3	7	9	1	1	1	...	1	1	8	...	19	21	739	817	
Engineers .....	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	6	105	120	
Torpedo and Signalling Corps .....	...	1	2	...	...	4	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	20	184	227	
Infantry .....	5	5	29	...	27	19	4	4	4	...	4	4	...	28	104	122	2596	2955		
Totals .....	6	9	38	5	3	39	33	5	6	4	1	5	5	8	29	181	171	3630	4179	

No. 212.—Reserves.

Distribution.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2nd Lieutenants.	Permanent Staff.		Colour-Sergeants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Trumpeters and Buglers.	Privates, &c.	Total.
						Adjutants, Pay and Quarter-Master.	Sergeant-Majors.						
Infantry .....	3	1	26	20	15	3	3	6	16	17	22	2350	2482
Cavalry .....	...	1	3	2	2	...	1	...	...	6	1	367	383
Artillery .....	...	...	4	3	3	...	...	3	6	8	2	306	335
Total .....	3	2	33	25	20	3	4	9	22	31	25	3023	3200

No. 213.—Naval Brigade: Distribution of the Naval Brigade, on the 31st December, 1885.

Corps or Company.	Captain, Commanding Brigade, Sydney.	Commanders.	Lieutenants, Command- ing Companies.	Sub-Lieutenants.	Medical Officers.	Clerk and Accountant.	Warrant and Petty Officers.	Midshipmen and Cadets.	A.B.'s.	Gunnery Instructors.	Total.
Sydney .....	1	2	6	7	3	1	24	28	486	2	560
Newcastle .....	...	1	1	1	1	...	4	2	96	1	107
Total .....	1	3	7	8	4	1	28	30	582	3	667

**No. 214.—General Total of the Military Forces of the Colony, on the 31st December, 1885.**

Distribution.	Number of Officers and Men.
Permanent Military Force .....	509
Volunteer Force .....	4,179
Reserves .....	3,200
Naval Brigade .....	667
Total .....	8,555

**No. 215.—Vaccination: Number of Persons Vaccinated by the Government Vaccinators, in the Colony of New South Wales, during the year 1885.**

Districts.	Under 1 year of age.				From 1 to 5 years.				From 5 to 10 years.				From 10 years upwards.				Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Successful.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Successful.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Successful.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Successful.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Successful.
Sydney and Suburbs .....	36	27	63	63	43	53	96	93	51	35	86	86	..	..	..	..	120	115	245	242
Country Districts.....	160	166	326	320	347	352	699	689	321	329	650	632	89	112	201	201	917	959	1876	1842
General Total .....	196	193	389	383	390	405	795	782	372	364	736	718	89	112	201	201	1047	1074	2121	2084

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## STATISTICAL VIEW of the Progress of the Colony of New South Wales from the separation of Queensland in 1859 to the year 1885.

## Appendix No. 1.

YEAR.	a POPULATION AT END OF YEAR.			BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	MAR-RIAGES.	ARRIVALS BY SEA.	DEPAR-TURES BY SEA.	SCHOOLS.		RAIL-WAYS—MILES OPEN FOR TRAFFIC.	TELE-GRAPHS—MILES OF WIRE.	MILLS FOR GRAIN.	MANU-FAC-TORIES AND WORKS.	NUMBER OF ACRES UNDER CROP.	LIVE STOCK.				COAL RAISED.		LAND SALES.		SHIPPING.				EXPORTS, THE PRODUCE OF THE COLONY.								VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS.	VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS.	PUBLIC DEBT.	REVENUE.	YEAR.
	PERSONS.	MALES.	FEMALES.						SCHOOLS.	NUMBER OF SCHOLARS.						HORSES.	HORNED CATTLE.	SHEEP.	PIGS.	QUANTITY.	VALUE.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT ACTUALLY RECEIVED.	INWARDS.	OUTWARDS.	WOOL.		TALLOW.		d Gold.		COAL.								
																										Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.					
1860	b 348,546	b 199,426	b 149,120	14,233	6,562	2,945	23,031	6,847	798	34,767	70	.....	193	376	260,798	251,497	2,408,586	6,119,163	180,662	368,862	226,493	109,216	155,316	1,424	427,835	1,438	431,484	12,809,362	1,123,699	13,647	28,794	483,012	1,876,049	233,877	183,761	7,519,285	5,072,020	3,830,230	1,308,925	1860
1861	357,978	201,574	156,404	14,681	5,343	3,222	13,421	13,200	849	37,874	73	1,616	184	421	297,575	233,220	2,271,923	5,615,054	146,091	342,067	218,820	189,936	222,594	1,327	366,236	1,391	379,460	12,745,891	1,396,426	60,638	60,816	488,293	1,890,908	207,780	160,965	6,391,555	5,594,839	4,017,630	1,421,831	1861
1862	366,721	204,199	162,522	15,434	6,524	3,326	15,386	15,079	925	42,211	97	2,539	181	464	302,138	273,389	2,620,383	6,145,651	125,541	476,522	305,234	88,086	216,988	1,493	454,837	1,568	467,356	13,482,139	1,283,818	71,281	104,030	699,566	2,715,037	308,782	245,422	9,334,645	7,102,562	5,802,980	1,557,639	1862
1863	377,712	207,560	170,152	15,679	6,653	3,314	15,205	13,796	976	46,810	124	2,683	180	730	307,035	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	135,899	433,889	236,230	c 357,281	192,113	1,494	479,827	1,603	511,373	14,791,849	1,262,274	17,709	31,221	605,722	2,361,949	298,038	220,181	8,319,576	6,936,839	5,802,980	1,534,187	1863
1864	390,864	213,365	177,499	16,881	6,445	3,480	20,667	17,448	1,022	48,427	143	2,847	174	786	318,854	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154	549,012	270,171	c 96,679	112,719	1,849	607,168	1,842	647,057	25,827,917	2,294,615	61,056	100,654	758,109	2,952,471	372,466	212,488	10,135,708	9,037,832	6,073,180	1,661,805	1864
1865	409,147	223,254	185,893	17,283	6,596	3,578	26,266	18,154	1,069	53,453	143	2,989	175	842	378,254	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901	585,525	274,303	c 110,307	213,241	1,912	635,888	2,120	690,294	29,858,791	2,283,560	75,810	122,270	682,521	2,647,668	382,968	214,158	10,635,507	9,563,818	5,749,630	1,899,468	1865
1866	428,813	235,116	193,697	16,950	7,361	3,462	25,528	15,093	1,155	59,594	143	3,346	159	960	451,225	278,437	1,771,809	11,562,155	137,915	774,238	324,049	c 151,450	261,590	2,099	730,354	2,259	784,381	36,980,685	2,830,348	27,726	51,826	751,700	2,924,891	540,905	300,588	9,403,192	9,913,839	6,418,030	2,012,079	1866
1867	444,709	243,131	201,578	18,317	8,631	3,426	19,972	13,450	1,180	63,183	175	3,567	188	958	413,164	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	173,168	770,012	342,655	c 117,889	264,660	1,868	646,970	2,104	726,721	21,708,902	1,711,322	37,211	63,648	559,079	2,170,165	473,357	253,259	6,599,804	e 6,880,715	e 6,917,630	2,012,042	1867
1868	463,188	254,003	209,185	18,485	7,225	3,736	26,564	18,679	1,254	66,835	225	4,385	181	1,265	434,756	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901	954,231	417,809	c 138,906	265,250	2,073	724,193	2,218	776,449	25,721,632	1,879,751	93,901	144,377	487,600	1,895,929	548,036	292,201	8,051,377	e 7,192,904	e 8,564,830	2,107,157	1868
1869	481,448	263,899	217,549	19,243	6,691	3,799	19,756	13,717	1,304	71,523	279	5,053	183	1,373	482,324	280,304	1,795,904	14,989,923	175,924	919,774	346,146	c 164,890	319,613	2,022	741,369	2,236	833,248	51,269,672	3,162,522	101,622	177,059	642,358	2,493,869	595,553	298,195	8,392,753	9,933,442	9,546,030	2,202,970	1869
1870	498,659	272,543	226,116	19,648	6,558	3,848	18,621	14,206	1,381	74,503	329	5,247	187	1,505	426,976	337,597	2,195,096	16,308,585	243,066	868,564	316,836	c 232,176	250,843	1,858	689,820	2,066	771,942	47,440,610	2,741,141	136,661	227,819	410,547	1,585,736	578,389	267,681	7,757,281	7,990,038	9,681,130	2,102,697	1870
1871	517,758	282,846	234,912	20,143	6,407	3,953	19,820	12,974	1,450	77,889	350	5,579	190	1,623	417,801	304,100	2,014,888	16,278,697	213,193	898,784	316,340	c 329,318	261,401	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	65,611,953	4,748,160	158,345	258,323	535,492	2,074,937	565,429	256,690	9,609,508	11,245,032	10,614,330	2,226,767	1871
1872	535,219	292,015	243,204	20,250	7,468	3,925	24,107	16,881	1,464	106,691	384	6,114	188	1,731	454,634	328,408	2,287,660	17,560,048	218,904	1,012,426	396,198	c 358,632	261,401	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	65,611,953	4,748,160	158,345	258,323	535,492	2,074,937	565,429	256,690	9,609,508	11,245,032	10,614,330	2,226,767	1871
1873	553,833	301,399	252,434	21,444	7,611	4,384	24,022	16,770	1,508	110,287	397	6,521	182	1,777	456,825	334,462	2,794,327	18,990,595	240,680	1,192,862	665,747	c 166,834	261,401	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	65,611,953	4,748,160	158,345	258,323	535,492	2,074,937	565,429	256,690	9,609,508	11,245,032	10,614,330	2,226,767	1871
1874	574,943	312,843	262,100	22,178	8,652	4,343	29,756	19,279	1,547	119,133	401	7,449	172	1,822	464,957	346,691	2,856,699	22,797,416	219,958	1,304,567	790,225	c 1749,537	261,401	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	65,611,953	4,748,160	158,345	258,323	535,492	2,074,937	565,429	256,690	9,609,508	11,245,032	10,614,330	2,226,767	1871
1875	594,297	323,080	271,217	22,528	10,771	4,605	30,967	20,350	1,586	124,756	437	8,012	161	2,263	451,139	357,696	3,134,086	25,353,924	199,950	1,329,729	819,430	c 390,688	261,401	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460	65,611,953	4,748,160	158,345	258,323	535,492	2,074,937	565,429	256,690	9,609,508	11,245,032	10,614,330	2,226,767	1871
1876																																								



Appendix No. 2.

AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES.

STATISTICAL RETURN showing the relative position and aggregate importance of the Australasian Colonies, at the close of the Year 1885.

NAME OF COLONY.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population at middle of 1885.	Revenue of 1885.	Revenue per head of Population.	Revenue raised by Taxation.	Rate of Taxation per head of Population.	Value of Imports for 1885.	Value of Imports per head of Population.	Value of Exports for 1885.	Value of Exports per head of Population.	Total Value of Trade, Imports, and Exports.	Value of Trade per head of Population.	Miles of Railway Open, 31 Dec., 1885.	Miles of Railway in course of Construction, 31 Dec., 1885.	Miles of Telegraph Lines Open, 31 Dec., 1885.	Miles of Telegraph Wire Open, 31 Dec., 1885.	Miles of Telegraph in course of Construction, 31 Dec., 1885.	No. of Acres under Crop in 1885.	No. of Horses.	No. of Cattle.	No. of Sheep.	No. of Pigs.	Estimated Population on 31 Dec., 1885.	Public Debt on 31 Dec., 1885.	Rate of Indebtedness per head of Population.
			£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.					Length of Lines. Length of Wires.							£	£ s. d.
NEW SOUTH WALES ... ..	310,700	930,936	7,584,593	8 3 0	2,252,650	2 8 5	23,365,196	25 2 0	16,541,745	17 15 4	39,906,941	42 17 4	c 1,812	407	10,351	19,864	153 250	868,093	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697	957,914	k 30,064,259	31 7 8
Victoria ... ..	87,884	g 975,040	b 6,290,361	6 11 0	b 2,548,171	2 13 1	18,044,604	18 10 2	15,551,758	15 19 0	33,596,362	34 9 2	1,680	186	3,949	9,617	39 39	h 1,862,533	304,098	1,290,790	10,681,837	239,837	g 991,869	28,628,588	28 17 3
South Australia... ..	a 903,690	g 319,515	2,309,592	7 4 7	749,447	2 6 11	5,548,403	17 7 4	5,636,255	17 12 8	11,184,658	35 0 0	1,063	718	5,346	9,378	... ..	e 2,334,954	e 168,420	e 389,726	e 6,696,406	e 163,807	g 313,423	17,020,900	54 6 1
Queensland ... ..	668,497	g 318,415	2,840,960	8 18 5	1,150,075	3 12 3	6,422,490	20 3 5	5,243,404	16 9 4	11,665,894	36 12 9	1,434	i 558	7,533	12,290	740 1,088	198,334	260,207	4,162,652	8,994,322	55,843	g 326,916	19,320,850	59 2 0
Western Australia ... ..	1,060,000	g 34,072	323,213	9 9 9	145,835	4 5 7	650,391	19 1 9	446,692	13 2 2	1,097,083	32 4 0	124	20	2,254	2,288	870 870	75,196	34,392	70,408	1,702,719	24,280	g 35,186	1,288,100	36 12 2
Tasmania ... ..	26,215	g 132,166	571,397	4 6 5	356,095	2 13 11	1,757,486	13 5 11	1,313,693	9 18 9	3,071,179	23 4 9	257	185	1,635	2,071	59 ...	144,761	28,610	138,642	1,648,627	67,395	g 133,791	3,357,000	25 1 10
New Zealand ... ..	104,403	j 565,012	4,096,996	7 5 0	2,096,212	3 14 2	7,479,921	13 4 9	6,819,939	12 1 5	14,299,860	25 6 2	d 1,654	d 259	4,463	10,931	199 457	1,046,705	f 161,736	f 698,637	f 14,624,547	f 200,083	575,226	35,790,422	62 4 5
Total for the Australasian Colonies	3,161,389	3,275,156	24,017,112	7 6 8	9,298,485	2 16 9	63,268,491	19 6 4	51,553,486	15 14 10	114,821,977	35 1 1	8,024	2,333	35,531	66,439	2,060 2,704	6,530,576	1,302,160	8,068,170	82,169,364	959,942	3 334,325	135,470,119	40 12 7

a Including Northern Territory, 523,620 square miles. b For Financial Year ending 30th June. c Includes 35 miles of tramway and 45 miles of private railway. d Includes private railways. e Estimated at return for previous year. f Last enumeration, 1881. g No allowance is made in this estimate for unrecorded departures. The estimate number is somewhat excessive.  
h There are also 209,225 acres in fallow, and 334,399 acres under permanent artificial grass and green forage. i Includes lines authorised. k Loans authorised, £50,901,567; liability on account of loan fund at close of 1885, £34,172,837.



## AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES.

## Appendix No. 3.

DECENNIAL STATISTICAL RETURN showing the position and importance of each Colony.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of year.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Revenue.	Rate of Revenue per head of Population.	Revenue raised by Taxation.	Rate of Taxation per head of Population.	Value of Imports.	Value of Imports per head of Population.	Value of Exports.	Value of Exports per head of Population.	Total Value of Trade, Imports, and Exports.	Value of Trade per head of Population.	Public Debt on 31 December.	Rate of Indebtedness per head of Population.	Miles of Railway Open, 31 December.	Miles of Railway in course of Construction, 31 December.	Miles of Telegraph Lines Open, 31 December.	Miles of Telegraph Wire Open, 31 December.	Number of Acres under Crop.	Number of Horses.	Number of Cattle.	Number of Sheep.	Number of Pigs.	Year.
NEW SOUTH WALES : Area, 310,700 square Miles.																										
1876	614,181	23,298	11,193	4,630	5,033,828	8 6 7	1,161,406	1 18 5	13,072,776	22 12 6	13,003,941	21 10 5	26,676,717	44 2 11	11,759,519	19 2 11	554	179½	.....	8,472	513,840	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604	1876
1877	613,707	23,851	9,869	4,994	5,748,246	9 2 9	1,235,021	1 19 3	14,606,594	22 7 10	13,125,819	20 17 4	27,732,413	43 5 2	11,724,419	18 4 3	643	217½	6,000	9,761	546,556	323,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677	1877
1878	671,888	25,323	10,763	5,317	4,983,864	7 11 6	1,309,717	1 19 10	14,768,873	22 9 0	12,965,879	19 14 3	27,734,752	42 3 3	11,688,119	17 7 11	733	207½	7,078	11,760½	613,642	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320	1878
1879	709,459	26,933	10,200	5,391	4,475,059	6 9 7	1,272,721	1 16 10	14,193,847	20 11 2	13,086,819	18 18 11	27,285,666	39 10 1	14,937,419	21 1 1	736	286	7,517	12,426	635,641	360,088	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026	1879
1880	741,893	28,162	11,231	5,572	4,904,230	6 15 2	1,417,293	1 19 0	13,950,075	19 4 5	15,525,138	21 7 10	29,475,213	40 12 3	14,903,919	20 1 9	849	456	7,955	13,188	706,498	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205	1880
1881	778,690	28,993	11,536	6,284	6,714,327	8 16 7	1,770,848	2 6 7	17,409,326	22 17 11	16,049,503	21 2 2	33,458,829	44 0 1	16,924,019	21 14 8	1,041	573	8,515	14,278	645,068	393,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916	1881
1882	810,833	29,702	12,816	6,948	7,410,737	9 6 6	1,903,412	2 7 11	21,281,130	26 15 8	16,716,961	21 0 10	37,998,091	47 16 6	16,721,219	20 12 5	1,313	504	9,013	15,901½	733,583	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815	1882
1883	857,744	31,281	12,249	7,405	6,470,341	7 15 1	1,891,708	2 5 4	20,960,157	25 2 7	19,886,018	23 16 10	40,846,175	48 19 5	21,632,459	26 1 1	1,365	597	9,315	17,272	789,082	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050	1883
1884	903,958	33,946	14,220	7,482	7,115,594	8 1 7	2,152,854	2 8 10	22,826,985	25 18 3	18,251,506	20 14 5	41,078,491	46 12 8	24,601,959	27 4 4	1,688	442	9,755	18,681	852,017	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656	1884
1885	957,914	35,043	15,282	7,618	7,584,593	8 2 11	2,252,650	2 8 5	23,365,196	25 2 0	16,541,745	17 15 4	39,906,941	42 17 4	30,064,259	31 7 8	1,812	407	10,351	19,864	868,093	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	203,697	1885
VICTORIA : Area, 87,884 square Miles.																										
1876	801,717	26,769	13,561	4,949	4,325,156	5 8 7	1,780,392	2 4 8	15,705,354	19 14 4	14,196,487	17 16 5	29,901,841	37 10 9	17,011,852	21 4 4	719	259	2,743	4,745	1,231,105	194,768	1,128,265	11,278,893	175,578	1876
1877	815,494	26,010	12,776	5,103	4,723,877	5 16 10	1,770,685	2 3 9	16,362,304	20 4 8	15,157,687	18 14 11	31,519,991	38 19 7	17,018,913	20 17 4	950	193	2,885	5,200	1,420,502	203,150	1,169,576	10,117,867	183,391	1877
1878	827,439	26,581	12,702	5,092	4,504,413	5 9 8	1,712,953	2 1 8	16,161,880	19 13 6	14,925,707	18 3 4	31,087,587	37 16 10	17,022,065	20 11 5	1,052	72	2,970	5,403½	1,609,278	210,105	1,184,843	9,379,276	177,373	1878
1879	840,620	26,839	12,120	4,986	4,621,520	5 10 10	1,730,088	2 1 6	15,035,538	18 0 6	12,454,170	14 18 7	27,489,708	32 19 2	20,050,753	23 17 0	1,125	74½	3,155	5,736	1,688,275	216,710	1,129,358	8,651,775	144,733	1879
1880	860,067	26,148	11,652	5,286	4,621,282	5 8 8	1,690,923	1 19 9	14,556,894	17 2 4	15,954,559	18 15 3	30,511,453	35 17 7	22,060,749	25 13 0	1,199	14½	3,215	6,019	1,997,943	275,516	1,286,627	10,360,285	241,936	1880
1881	882,232	26,145	12,302	5,896	5,186,011	5 19 0	2,003,704	2 6 0	16,718,521	19 3 10	16,252,103	18 13 1	32,970,624	37 16 11	22,426,502	25 8 5	1,247	159	3,350	6,626	1,821,719	278,195	1,286,677	10,267,265	239,926	1881
1882	906,225	26,747	13,634	6,309	5,592,362	6 5 1	2,317,706	2 11 0	18,748,081	20 19 3	16,193,579	18 2 2	34,941,660	39 1 5	22,103,202	24 7 9	1,355	340	3,493	6,922	2,040,916	280,874	1,287,088	10,174,246	237,917	1882
1883	931,790	27,541	13,006	6,771	5,611,253	6 2 1	2,334,255	2 10 9	17,743,846	19 6 2	16,398,863	17 16 10	34,142,709	37 3 0	24,308,175	26 1 1	1,562	130	3,660	7,271	2,215,923	286,779	1,297,546	10,739,021	233,525	1883
1884	961,276	28,850	13,505	7,218	5,934,687	6 5 5	2,318,520	2 9 0	19,201,633	20 5 8	16,050,465	16 19 1	35,252,098	37 4 10	27,526,667	28 12 8	1,663	32	4,020	8,055	2,323,493	293,846	1,287,945	10,637,412	234,347	1884
1885	991,869	29,975	14,364	7,395	6,290,361	6 8 1	2,548,171	2 13 1	18,044,604	18 10 2	15,551,758	15 19 0	33,596,362	34 9 2	28,628,588	28 17 3	1,680	186	3,949	9,617	2,405,157	304,093	1,290,790	10,681,837	239,337	1885
SOUTH AUSTRALIA : Area, 903,690 square Miles.*																										
1876	225,677	8,224	3,550	1,852	1,320,204	6 1 1	445,548	2 0 10	4,576,183	20 19 8	4,816,170	22 1 9	9,392,353	43 1 5	3,837,100	17 0 0	328	512	3,470	4,305	1,514,916	106,903	219,441	6,133,291	102,295	1876
1877	236,864	8,640	3,235	2,002	1,441,401	6 4 8	499,885	2 3 2	4,625,511	19 19 10	4,626,531	19 19 11	9,252,042	39 19 8	4,737,200	19 19 7	328	404	4,061	5,153	1,828,115	110,684	230,679	6,098,359	104,527	1877
1878	248,795	9,282	3,749	2,299	1,592,634	6 11 2	519,254	2 2 8	5,719,611	23 10 3	5,855,021	22 0 3	11,074,632	45 10 6	5,329,600	21 8 5	454	358	4,217	5,686	2,011,319	121,553	251,802	6,377,812	103,422	1878
1879	259,460	9,902	3,580	2,238	1,662,498	6 10 10	526,366	2 1 3	5,014,150	19 13 1	4,762,727	18 13 5	9,776,877	38 6 6	6,605,750	25 9 6	559	252½	4,393	5,934	2,271,058	130,052	266,217	6,140,396	90,548	1879
1880	267,573	10,262	3,912	2,291	2,027,963	7 13 11	529,450	2 0 0	5,581,497	21 2 2	5,574,505	21 1 7	11,156,003	42 3 9	9,865,500	36 17 5	667	319	4,754	6,904	2,574,489	157,915	307,177	6,463,897	131,011	1880
1881	286,324	10,7																								